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EIGHTY-FOUR RUSSIANS SENTENCED TO DEATH

FIRST CHIEF OF SCOUTS SPEAKS

General Sir Robert Baden-Powell Tells of Growth of World Movement at Ottawa Meeting

WANTS ROVER SCOUTS STARTED IN CANADA

Dr. James W. Robertson Re-elected Dominion Chief Commissioner—49 Medals For Gallantry Awarded

OTTAWA, March 28.—Addresses by General Sir Robert Baden-Powell and Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux featured the annual meeting of the Canadian General Council Canadian Boy Scouts' Association here today. Dr. J. W. Robertson, Dominion chief commissioner, occupied the chair.

Sir Robert, in his address, expressed pleasure at the splendid record of advancement contained in the report of the year, particularly in the statement of Major J. W. Ewing, that every day saw the French Canadians becoming more and more interested in the movement.

That the extension of the movement spoke in promising terms of future strength and welfare of British unity was becoming more and more evident in the opinion of men who came every year for training. Men from India, Mesopotamia, Australia and many other parts of the world were there pledging themselves in the common bond of brotherhood.

Scouts at Exhibition

Sir Robert referred briefly to the part to be taken by the scouts in the forthcoming British Empire Exhibition in 1924 in London. The use of the Empire Stadium had been secured for a week, and Australia and South Africa had already signified their intention of being represented by a contingent.

He expressed the hope that the new Rover Scout movement, designed for

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HOPES REVIVED OF REFLOATING RALEIGH

Reports Made to Admiralty Say the Wreck Has Been Moved by Pressure of Ice Pack

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., March 28.—The possibility of refloating the British cruiser Raleigh, which went ashore in the Straits of Belle Isle last Summer, and was abandoned as a total loss, has been revived. Reports made to the British Admiralty that the wreck had been moved by pressure of the ice pack this Winter led the British authorities to investigate the cruiser's present position on the Labrador rocks.

Yesterday an aviator flew from Botwood and made photographs of the Raleigh as she now lies. These will be sent to the Admiralty for study. If the hulk has been freed from the rocks that held her, it was stated, an effort will be made to refloat the cruiser.

The Raleigh struck the rocks near Point Armour, Labrador, August 9 last, during a fog. Several seamen were drowned while taking a line ashore from the wreck.

FATHER AND CHILDREN MEET DEATH IN FIRE

Mother, Injured in Jumping From Window, May Be Fourth Victim of Quebec Tragedy

SABRE, Que., March 28.—Euslie Lemieux, aged 26, and his three children, of whom the eldest was two and a half years, were burned to death, and his wife is dying, following a fire which destroyed their home yesterday. Mrs. Lemieux jumped from a window when the flames were at their height and broke her back. She is not expected to recover.

Agreement Reached on Aeronautical Patents

LONDON, March 28.—The members of the American commission which came here four months ago to settle with the British Government certain claims against the United States Government, in behalf of British aviation interests for the use of aeronautical patents during and since the war, will sail for home tomorrow, having reached a settlement.

Lieutenant-Colonel Joseph McMullen, chairman of the American commission, said the amount the United States agreed to pay was something less than $50,000 to be distributed to forty claimants.

Thousand Teachers Are Expected at Convention

VANCOUVER, March 28.—It is expected that a thousand school teachers from every part of the Province will attend the convention of the British Columbia Teachers' Federation here on April 3, 4 and 5.

CHANGE FOR WORSE IN SOVIET PREMIER

NIKOLAI LENINE

LONDON, Mar. 28.—The condition of Lenine, the Russian Premier, is again causing anxiety, says a Riga dispatch to The Times. It is reported that he lay for nearly a week motionless, during which time his temperature and pulse were almost normal. But on Monday a change for the worse occurred; his temperature rose and his pulse became accelerated, and breathing difficult.

HOUSE ADJOURNS UNTIL APRIL 9

OTTAWA, March 28.—The House of Commons adjourned today till April 9. Before adjournment, the Minister of Finance tabled supplementary estimates totalling five and one-half million dollars for civil service bonuses for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1924, and supplementaries totalling $18,209,105.66 for the year ending March 31, 1923.

LIVELY CLASHES IN HOUSE OF COMMONS

MR. MEIGHEN CRITICIZES GOVERNMENT ON LABOR

Classes Appointment of Mrs. Violet Markham Carruthers as That of English Woman Politician

OTTAWA, March 28.—Consideration of labor estimates in the House today brought some lively clashes between the Prime Minister and the leader of the Opposition, Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, who criticized the appointment of Mrs. Violet Markham Carruthers to represent Canada at the coming session of the governing body of the International Labor Office as that of an English woman politician. Premier King retorted that Mr. Meighen's view was small and narrow, and said that Mrs. Carruthers was an authority on labor legislation to be discussed by the governing body.

Mr. Meighen wanted to know what the Government had done to put the labor planks of the 1919 Liberal platform into effect.

Mr. King cited restoration of responsible government, representation of labor on the Canadian National Railway directorate, legislation to restrict Chinese immigration, and intimated that other planks would be given effect as conditions permitted.

Challenges Views

Mr. Meighen challenged the view that there had been restoration of responsible government, and as the appointment of Tom Moore to the C.N.R. directorate had not been approved by the employees of the system, it was a "direct violation of the commitment of the party in this House."

Later there was a keen passage between Mr. Meighen and Hon. James Murdock, Minister of Labor. Mr. Meighen declared that as a result of the exodus south, the United States was relieving Canada of a great deal of worry in regard to unemployment. Mr. Murdock came back, that there was no one more responsible than Mr. Meighen, "who was the best advertising medium Uncle Sam had in Canada."

"The consummation of nonsense," was the way Mr. Meighen, in reply, referred to Mr. Murdock's statement.

South Africa Falls Short by £4,693,000 On Estimated Revenue

CAPE TOWN, March 28.—Hon. H. Burton, Unionist Minister of Finance, in a budget statement given to the House of Assembly today, said the deficit for 1922-23 amounted to £1,253,000, the estimated revenue for the three years ending March 31, 1923, having fallen short by £4,693,000. Estimated revenue for 1923-24, said the Minister, amounted to £27,500,000 and the estimated expenditure £28,500,000. It was proposed to make up the one million deficit by increased customs duties. He expected to bring in £230,000 from excise duties on matches and £30,000 by a reorganization of the scale of pay to civil servants.

STILL HARD WINTER FOR EASTERNERS

Temperature of Thirty Below at Hearst, Ontario—Drifting Snow Ties Up Traffic

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., March 28.—Trainmen report that it was 40 degrees below zero at Horne Payne, two divisions east of here on the Canadian National Railways last night.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Ont., March 28.—With a temperature of 11 degrees below zero, and a wind of from 35 to 40 miles an hour, street car traffic in the Soo was tied up for two days. There has not been a heavy snowfall, but continual drifting has made it impossible to keep the track clear.

Algoma Central Railway trains have also been tied up for two days.

The present month is the coldest March on record.

A temperature of 30 below zero at Hearst, Ont., was reported this morning.

MEMBERS PRESS RUHR ARGUMENT

Endeavor to Provoke British Government Into Taking a Stronger Attitude on French Occupation

PREMIER BONAR LAW ABSENT FROM HOUSE

Chancellor of Exchequer Repeats Government's Assertion Present Is Inopportune Time to Take Action

LONDON, March 28.—The debate this evening in the House of Commons on the Ruhr question, which had been much anticipated as possibly indicating a new line of British policy, lacked much of its expected interest.

This was due, first, to the absence of Premier Bonar Law, who is still suffering from a mild throat affection; second, to Premier Poincare's renewed declaration against mediation, and probably also to the possibility that something may develop from the current conferences in Milan between Premier Mussolini, of Italy, Foreign Minister Jaspar, of Belgium, and others, arising from Hugo Stinnes' visit to Rome.

Even had the British Ministers some idea of a new policy, they would probably have their hands tied pending the outcome of the conferences.

Criticize French Policy

All these considerations taken together did not prevent Sir Laming Worthington Evans, former Premier Asquith, Mr. J. Ramsay Macdonald and Sir Edward Gregg, who opened the debate, from strongly criticizing the French policy and trying to provoke the government into taking a stronger line. Their efforts, however, were unsuccessful. Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin, Chancellor of the Exchequer, who replied for the government, took precisely the same line that the Prime Minister has taken on previous occasions.

"If we were so to conduct our conversations with our Allies as to lose

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QUESTIONS PREMIER ON B.C. EXPORT LICENCES

Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen Wants to Know if Number Has Risen From Four to Thirty

OTTAWA, March 28.—The issue on export licence to breweries was called to the attention of the Government in the House today by Mr. J. L. Brown, Progressive member for Lisgar, and Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, Leader of the Opposition.

Mr. Brown pressed for an answer to a question whether the Government had received any complaints against the breweries of violating provincial liquor laws.

The licences would come up for renewal on April 1, he pointed out, and the matter was important.

Premier King promised to ask the Minister of Excise, Hon. Jacques Bureau, about it.

Mr. Meighen then wanted to know whether it was true that since the present Government took office the number of export licences for British Columbia had risen from four to thirty.

"I have no information," Mr. King replied.

Liquor Company Case in Vancouver Proceeding

Plaintiff Claims $23,200 in Lieu of Profit Earned While Acting as Manager

VANCOUVER, March 28.—Another suit pertaining to the ownership of the Glasgow Liquor Exporters, Ltd., and the Glasgow Traders, Ltd., was begun in the Supreme Court today. Abraham Robins is plaintiff, and he names as defendants Meyer Chechik, Winnipeg; Harry Rabinowitch, of Regina; Solomon Gold, Vancouver, and the two companies above mentioned and the Security Exporters, Ltd., of St. John, N.B.

He claims from Chechik and Rabinowitch $23,200, which he alleges they agreed to pay him in lieu of profits earned for them while he was manager of the Regina Wine and Spirits, Ltd., or in the alternative 10 per cent of the treasury stock in the three defendant companies. In addition he claims that Gold holds 10 per cent stock in trust for the plaintiff. The case is continuing.

Massey Government Wins in By-Election

WELLINGTON, N.Z., March 28.—The Massey Government has retained the Tauranga seat in the by-election, after a hot political fight between the Opposition candidate, Sir Joseph Ward, former Premier of New Zealand, and Mr. McMillan, the Government candidate.

Mr. McMillan's total vote was 4,250 and Sir Joseph Ward's 3,034, Mr. Mcmillan's majority being 1,216.

The by-election was due to the death of Sir William Herries, member of the Legislative Council of New Zealand, without portfolio.

Solving Mystery of Missing Millionaire

MAYOR MAGUIRE

of Toronto, chairman of the Police Commission, who declares that Detective Mitchell must disclose the whereabouts of the seventy acres in which he claims Ambrose Small is buried. If necessary, the Mayor declares, steam shovels will be employed to turn over the seventy acres in the search for the missing magnate.

DETECTIVE MITCHELL

of Toronto, who has caused a sensation by stating that he knows an area of seventy acres within which Ambrose Small is buried. He has declined to disclose the locality of the seventy acres. Detective Mitchell made the announcement during the hearing of Mrs. Small's application to have her husband declared dead.

Group Sentenced To Die for Aiding Anti-Bolshevist

MOSCOW, March 28.—The revolutionary tribunal at Kamenetz-Podolsk, in the Volhynia district, has sentenced to death a group of 84 persons, including many tradesmen, convicted of assisting the anti-Bolshevist dictator Petrolia by armed attacks on the Red forces.

AMERICANS GREET PRINCE OF WALES

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 28.—The Prince of Wales reciprocated the good wishes for peace and concord throughout the world, expressed by Alvin Owsley, American Legion National Commander, according to a cablegram received today at National headquarters of the legion from Ambassador Harvey.

"The Prince of Wales," said the message, "desires to thank you sincerely for your kind telegram on the occasion of his attending the American Legion ball in London, and to assure you that he heartily reciprocates your good wishes for peace and concord throughout the world."

RUSSIA WILL PAY TO TRADE WITH AMERICA

Will Partly Meet Foreign Obligations as a Basis to Carry on Pour Parlers

MOSCOW, March 28.—Soviet Russia stands ready to "buy" the possibility of peaceful trade relationship with America by part payment of her foreign obligations, the newspaper Pravda states today in connection with a sharp attack on American Secretary of State Hughes for his recent Russian pronouncement.

"Mr. Hughes must know that obligations are meaningless unless an agreement is reached about them," says the newspaper. "For instance, America is not obliged to pay to France Germany's debts, and Soviet Russia, for the information of Mr. Hughes, stands much farther from the Russia of the late Czar and Alexander Kerensky than does the America of Secretary Hughes from Herr Ebert's Germany.

"This very new creation of the Soviet union could not be responsible for the debts of its enemy, although conquered, but nevertheless, is willing to buy, by means of part payment, the possibility of peaceful trade relations. It is a most prosaic viewpoint, but fully adequate for American practicability, and on this basis we propose to carry on pour parlers."

Collective Marketing Is Only Solution, Says Hon. E. D. Barrow

VANCOUVER, March 28.—"Collective marketing is the only solution to the agricultural problems of British Columbia, and were it not for the fact that such selling plans are being formulated I would not advise anyone to settle on the land in British Columbia," declared Hon. E. D. Barrow, at tonight's meeting of 200 retailers under the auspices of the British Columbia Products Bureau of the Board of Trade.

Coroner's Jury Finds Lieutenant Guilty of Dublin Theatre Crime

DUBLIN, March 28.—Lieutenant Frank Teeling, an officer in the National army, was held responsible today for the killing of a member of the civic force during a performance at the Theatre Royal last evening. The verdict of the coroner's jury was that Teeling had fired the fatal bullet, but did so in self-defence.

Montreal's Oldest Man Dies, Aged Ninety-Nine

MONTREAL, March 28.—Mr. John Ogilvie, Montreal's oldest and best-known citizen, and the only surviving charter of the St. James Club, died at his residence here today in his 99th year.

SEEK TO SETTLE SCHOOL DISPUTE

Conference Between Trustees and Representatives of the Chinese Held Last Evening to Solve Difficulty

MODIFIED PLAN PUT FORWARD BY BOARD

No Agreement Arrived at Pending Submission of the Scheme to Parents and Guardians of Pupils Affected

NO settlement of the vexed question concerning the accommodation of Chinese pupils in Victoria public schools resulted from the conference held last night in the Board room, City Hall, between members of the Victoria School Board and parents of Chinese children of school age who, until they left school last Fall rather than submit to the Board's ruling to attend a separate school, had been pupils in various schools in the city. Possibilities of a settlement, however, in time to allow the attendance of the Chinese pupils after the Easter holidays, are brighter than they were previous to the gathering.

A proposition was laid before the Chinese parents by the Board which involved a considerable reduction from their original stand, but from the statements of Messrs. Joe Hope and Cecil Lee, who acted as spokesmen for the Chinese, it was not satisfactory. They suggested, however, that they would lay the Board's proposal before a meeting of parents and members of the Chinese Consolidated Benevolent Association and meet again with the Board next Wednesday evening.

Inspector George Dean outlined the Board's proposal by quoting from a carefully prepared report assigning all Chinese pupils who were on the school attendance roll before the controversy occurred, to various schools. Of a total of two hundred and thirty-two Chinese pupils, one hundred and forty-eight will attend the same schools as last year, and eighty-four, including forty-seven pupils of the Railway Street School division, will attend different schools. Twenty-four pupils resident in the North Ward district will be permitted to attend other schools temporarily, and fifteen pupils living outside the North Ward district will be assigned to schools in the North Ward district on account of retardation or congested conditions.

Proposed Distribution

The total number, two hundred and thirty-eight, under the proposed new assignment, have been allotted

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Victoria Pair Named in Los Angeles Divorce Case

LOS ANGELES, March 28. — The divorce action brought by Mrs. Elfreda M. Shimmin, a motion picture actress known professionally as Lucile Gordon, against Robert L. Shimmin, a broker, of Victoria, B.C., was taken under advisement today in the superior court. Mrs. Shimmin and her sister, Miss Millicent Hogg, also a screen actress, testified Mrs. Shimmin came here for her health in April, 1920, and that since her arrival her husband had neither sent her money nor asked her to go home.

Telephone Exchange at Quesnel Is Destroyed

QUESNEL, B.C., March 28.—Fire which started from a pot of tar on a stove destroyed the Cowan Hardware Company's store, the town telephone exchange and three residences here last night. The amount of the damage, which is only partly covered by insurance, has not been estimated.

VINEYARDS SEIZED IN OCCUPIED TERRITORY

Millions of Acres of Government-Owned Property in Rhenish Prussia Taken Over by Ruhr Allies, Including Buildings, Wine Cellars and Bottled Wines

French Troops and Tanks Circle Town of Mettmann

DUSSELDORF, March 28.—The French authorities today began taking over the Prussian state-owned vineyards along the Moselle River, according to The Deutsche Reinsche Volks Zeitung. The paper says the seizure includes vineyards, buildings, wine cellars and bottled wines.

There are millions of acres of vineyards owned by the Government along the Moselle where it runs into the Rhine.

The town of Mettmann, near Elberfeld, was surrounded today by French troops and tanks.

Traffic Cut Off

The French demanded that the Mettmann officials give the names of the Germans responsible for the shooting and wounding of a French major in the foot several days ago.

Traffic to Mettmann has been entirely cut off. The interurban street cars running between Dusseldorf and Elberfeld are stopped at the outskirts and the Mettmann passengers are obliged to walk across the town.

Fire Sweeps Two Native Villages On Formosa Isle

TOKIO, March 28.—Two native villages on the island of Formosa were practically destroyed by fire today. Forty-three hundred houses were burned, and thousands of persons made homeless.

Claims Any Country Would Have Prosecuted Priests for Plotting

LONDON, March 28.—The Rosta Agency, the Russian Soviet official agency, has issued a statement here declaring that the members of the Catholic Church just convicted at Moscow, were charged with offences for which they would have been equally liable for prosecution in any country in the world, namely, defiance of the law of the land and open and secret incitement to violence.

ROME, March 28.—Pope Pius has asked the Soviet Government of Russia to liberate Archbishop Zepliak and the other ecclesiastics convicted in Moscow on the ground that they are members of the Catholic hierarchy and the Pope's subjects.

EARL OF CARNARVON HAS SERIOUS RELAPSE

Condition Causes Great Anxiety—New Development of Blood Poisoning Is Indicated

LONDON, March 28.—The Earl of Carnarvon has suffered a relapse, according to a Cairo dispatch to The Times. His temperature has risen. Late dispatches from Cairo report Lord Carnarvon's condition as very serious. The Morning Post described his relapse as being of a grave nature, and declared that the patient's condition this evening was causing great anxiety.

The Daily Express says the bulletin issued in Cairo admits there is anxiety over the Earl. This dispatch adds that the relapse was a surprise to everybody. He had a long talk at midday with Mr. Howard Carter, his chief aide in the excavation work, and the change in his condition came suddenly.

The Earl, who has been supervising excavations at the tomb of King Tutankhamen, has recently been suffering from blood poisoning, said to have been caused by an insect bite. His wife is now at his bedside, having made part of the journey from Paris by airplane. His condition on March 21, several days after the development of poisoning, was reported to be improved, but still serious, and still further improvement was noted a day or two later.

The rise in temperature, as now reported, indicates a new development of the blood poisoning.

PLEADS FOR LIFE OF ARCHBISHOP

PARIS, March 28. — Deputy Edward Herriot, Mayor of Lyons, who made a trip to Russia last Fall, and afterwards urged the resumption of friendly relations between France and Russia, sent a telegram to Foreign Minister Tchitcherin in Moscow today, reading:

"As interpreter of the feelings of the French democracy, I beg you to allow the Archbishop of Petrograd (Archbishop Zepliak) to live."

Proposes Life Term for Poisonous Liquor Seller

WINNIPEG, March 28.—Urging life imprisonment for persons convicted of selling poisonous liquor will be the effect of an amendment to the Manitoba Temperance Act which Mr. W. H. Spinks, member for Cypress, intends to bring down in the Provincial Legislature during the present session.

FROST DELAYS SEEDING

REGINA, March 28.—With the ground frozen solid and covered with snow, farmers in Regina district are not making any preparations for early seeding. Unless a decided change sets in operations will not be under way for at least a month.

PRINCE'S MANY FALLS MAKE PUBLIC ANXIOUS

Brought Down Twice in Two Days—Competes Against Professional and Comes in Fourth

LONDON, March 28.—The Prince of Wales' love for steeplechasing is beginning to cause public anxiety, owing to the frequency with which he meets with mishaps. The Prince himself, however, makes light of his risks.

The Evening Standard says today wide comment has been provoked in society circles and that the feeling prevails that the Prince's advisers should persuade him, in view of the responsibility of his position, to confine himself to hunting, leaving the jumps for other people.

Another Mishap

The heir apparent had another mishap today when participating with Prince George in the Melton Steeplechase and riding in the Ladies' Plate, his mount was brought down by the balking of another horse at the seventh fence. After making six unsuccessful attempts to get his mount over, the Prince gave up. For the first time he competed against professional jockeys in an open race, and came in fourth after a narrow escape from being unseated.

MORE STRIKE CLOUDS HANG OVER ENGLAND

Longer Hours and Cut in Wages for Building Trade—Railway Men Threaten National Strike

LONDON, March 28.—Important decisions were taken today by the railway and building industries which may involve serious stoppages. The Builders and Employers' conference resolved to instruct members throughout the country to enforce in the middle of April an extension of the working hours for Summer time from 44 to 47 and reduce wages on a scale already-rejected by the men in a ballot. This will mean a general lockout, unless the Ministry of Labor can successfully intervene, and also an awkward dilemma for the Government, which is being constantly attacked for its failure to provide necessary housing accommodations.

The delegates to the conference of the National Union of Railwaymen have decided to support the shopmen in resisting the claim of the railway companies to the right to withdraw the remaining six shillings of war bonus. The delegates have instructed the executive council to call a national strike if necessary.

It is still believed, however, that in the case of the railwaymen some settlement can be arranged.

Hawaiian Princess Is Granted Life Pension

HONOLULU, March 28.—Governor Farrington today signed the legislative act granting Princess Kalanianaole, widow of Prince Kuhio, a pension of $500 per month during her life. The death of Prince Kuhio, January 17, 1922, ended the old Hawaiian line of monarchs. Following her husband's death, Governor Farrington appointed Princess Kalanianaole to succeed the late Prince as a member of the Hawaiian Homes Commission.

Liberal-Farmer Union Opposed

TORONTO, March 28.—The Mail and Empire says today that the caucus of Liberals of the Ontario Legislature yesterday advised the advisability of a union with the farmers, and general opposition developed against any such move.

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APPOINTMENTS ON CANADIAN PACIFIC

MONTREAL, March 28.—Following upon the appointment of Walter Maughan, steamship manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway, the following appointments were announced at the company's head office today:

W. G. Annable, to be assistant steamship passenger manager.

William Ballantyne, to be steamship general passenger agent.

H. M. McCallum, assistant general passenger agent.

E. Stone, assistant to steamship general passenger agent.

BOOKMAKERS KEEN FOR BETTING TAX

Would Involve Legalization in Britain —No Budget Proposal on Attractive Revenue Scheme

LONDON, March 28.—There is understood to be no proposal in the budget for a tax on betting. The question was investigated last year, and while the inquiries showed that betting transactions totalled over two hundred million sterling annually, and that a ten per cent tax would bring in about twenty millions, there were grave objections to what might otherwise seem an attractive scheme.

It would, for one thing, involve the legalization of betting, and that was one of the reasons why bookmakers were in favor of some such law.

A further practical objection is that any Chancellor of the Exchequer who brought down such a proposal would have to face the united opposition of all the churches, and it would be more than doubtful whether he could carry his proposals through any House.

REVISE LABOR LEGISLATION

PARIS, March 28.—Revision of French labor legislation so as to incorporate it in the Washington Labor Conference agreements on night work by women and children is provided for in a bill approved by the cabinet yesterday.

Finds Veterans Are Deprived of Rights Parliament Granted

Commission Investigating Veterans' Complaints Finds Established Privileges Have Been Nullified, But G. W. V. A. Failed to Sustain Charges of Conspiracy or Wrongful Intent

OTTAWA, March 28.—The Ralston Commission today made its report on charges brought against the Pensions Board by officials of the Great War Veterans' Association. The report finds that the G. W. V. A. has failed to sustain the charges of conspiracy or other wrongful intent by the Pensions Board in dealing with the rights of ex-service men. It states, however, that the claim that the ex-service men have been deprived of rights previously granted by parliament and that established privileges have been nullified, is sustained. The report, it is expected, will be tabled in parliament today. It is signed by all the commissioners.

As Last Resource

"While," the report adds in its general conclusions, "the imputation of bad faith and extreme language used in the telegram were in the light of the evidence now available not justified, the telegram was published after accumulation of circumstances which might well have produced the conviction that a system of whittling away of rights had been clandestinely inaugurated. The commission believes that the telegram was published in good faith and as a last resort after a prolonged endeavor to have these rights and supposed established privileges maintained or restored. On the other hand, the heavy responsibilities of the Pensions Board have already been referred to. It is obvious that it had nothing to gain by refusing pensions.

"It could have courted popularity and lightened work by taking a less determined attitude and following the lines of least restatance.

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"That the action taken was bona fide and in the course of what it considered to be its duty, the commission is satisfied. A ground for strong criticism by the commission is that the Pensions Board gave undue prominence to the idea that this duty was (as expressed in its factum) that of a trustee of public funds. This function was, after all, secondary to the duty of the Pensions Board as trustees of the rights and benefits which Canada intended for ex-service men and their dependents. While in some instances it was difficult to estimate the exact extent of these rights and benefits from the legislation itself, there were cogent indications which, in the opinion of the commission and for reasons already given the Pensions Board, should not have been disregarded."

Recommendations

In connection with Section 11 of the Pensions Act, the commission recommends: (1) Payment of pensions to dependents of discharged C. E. F. men in cases of death occurring since September 1, 1920, but due to disabilities incurred during service.

(2) Payment of pension in any genuine "missing link" cases which have been refused (provided they are not barred by section), and that a definite policy be laid down for the future in respect of these cases based on a time limit (in medical opinion) within which can be reasonably said that all disabilities connected with the service period must have shown themselves.

In regard to returned soldiers' insurance, the commission is of the opinion that the Pensions Board unjustifiably disregarded the understanding that the practically unconditional benefits of the act were to continue until September 11, 1922. The Pensions Board, as public trustee, the report adds, "took what it deemed to be the necessary action in the interests of the State, and there was no motive on its part other than to perform what it considered to be a duty.

(1) That provisions should be made to review all applications (for returned soldiers' insurance) which would have been affected if the recommendation of the parliamentary committee of 1921, as adopted by the House of Commons, had been carried out.

(2) The review and issue of policies in respect of all applications which have been rejected since the inauguration of the practice referred to in the letter of the Pensions Board to the Minister of January 16, 1922, and up to July 1, 1922, except in cases of self-inflicted wounds, immoral conduct, or where the application is fraudulent.

Further, in respect of the two foregoing recommendations where the applicant is dead, the report recommends that insurance be paid as if the policy had been issued and delivered in the lifetime of the applicant.

On the question of pension applications generally, the report says there is evidence of a substantial number of cases which were never referred to the Pensions Board or any member thereof, and in which pension was refused. These were cases in which, in the opinion of the commission, the benefit should have been given of joint consideration by at least two members of the Pensions Board approaching the question of right to pension from an angle different from the exclusively medical.

"The commission," the report continues, "has not lost sight of the serious difficulties surrounding the administration of the act. It is realized these members of the Pensions Boards are responsible for decision in probably more cases annually than the superior courts in Canada combined. It is difficult to conceive of any public body which is performing a more exacting and onerous duty demanding every quality, not only of efficiency and honesty, but of sound judgment and sympathy as well."

URGED TO STIMULATE EMPIRE SETTLEMENT

Treat Empire as One Great Country, Says Member in Reply to "Driven From Home" Charges

LONDON, March 28.—The emigration question was lengthily debated in the House of Commons yesterday in course of the consideration of an appropriation bill.

Brigadier-General H. Page Croft, Conservative, Bournemouth, complained that the Government was not doing sufficient in the direction of Empire settlement, and urged that commissioners should be sent to all the Dominions to arrange large and definite schemes of settlement in the new territories.

Viscount Sandon, Conservative, Shrewsbury, also pleaded for more extensive emigration schemes and advocated group settlements. He also urged the Government to consider making larger grants to voluntary societies in connection with emigration.

Mr. T. J. McNamara, National Liberal, said that even in quite good times there was going to be something like six hundred thousand unemployed as compared with about two hundred thousand before the war. He urged that the young men among them should be given a chance before it was too late.

Instead of shipping people overseas, the country should organize them for production at home as was done in the production of munitions, said Mr. J. Brotherton, Labor, Gateshead.

Sir Alfred Mond, National Liberal, remarked that when, as would shortly be the case, it would be possible to fly to Australia in six days, what was the use of talking of people who emigrated being turned out of their native land? It was ridiculous not to treat the Empire as one great country.

The suggestion was made by Neil Maclean, Labor, Glasgow, that money could be better spent in putting people on the land at home. He strongly protested against schemes for the emigration of children.

Colonel Buckley, Secretary for Overseas Trade, replying for the Government, said that in future the whole trend of British exports was almost bound to be toward the Dominions. Australia was already Great Britain's second largest customer. The Overseas Settlement Committee had worked in the closest touch with the Governments of the Dominions through their representatives in London. Schemes were under negotiation which, if successful, would result in the emigration of 75,000 in the next twelve months, or 1,500 weekly. Although they had not always been able to agree on details with the Dominions, they had been met on all hands by a most active and cordial desire to cooperate.

Replying to the criticisms regarding the emigration of children, Col. Buckley pointed out that a great majority of the children sent out were destitute orphans. He described the Canadian Government's system of looking after and safeguarding these children as one of the most complete systems of inspection of which he had ever heard. It was as sensible and humane as it was possible to make it. Col. Buckley thought it was quite possible the Imperial Government would have to consider establishing in the near future some system of training prospective emigrants. If the same scheme developed there was no doubt a great deal more could be done in the direction of emigration of married men and families. He was quite satisfied the Government had no intention whatever of letting this method of Empire settlement drop.

The bill was read a second time.

GRATUITIES AWARDED TO RETIRING OFFICERS

Mr. D. B. Hanna Received $35,000 in Addition to His Salary—Mr. H. C. Kelley Paid $50,000

OTTAWA, March 28.—Mr. D. B. Hanna, president of the Canadian National Railways, received on his retirement a grant of $35,000 in addition to his salary to the date of retirement. This information was given to Mr. W. J. Ward, Progressive, Dauphin, in the House of Commons today.

"Why was this grant given and on whose authority?" asked Mr. Ward.

"It was given in recognition of past services and by authority of the Board of Directors of the Canadian Northern Railway," replied Hon. G. H. Graham, acting Minister of Railways.

"Did A. J. Mitchell, former vice-president of the Canadian National Railways receive a gratuity of $20,000?" asked Mr. Ward.

"Yes," was the reply.

"Did any other retiring official or director of the Canadian National Railways receive a similar grant on retirement?" persisted Mr. Ward.

The Minister replied that A. L. Shannon, comptroller and treasurer Canadian National Railways had been granted his salary for six months, amounting to $3,000 preliminary to superannuation.

Mr. H. Biggar, K.C., vice-president and general counsel Grand Trunk Railway died on January 7, 1922, and the Grand Trunk Canadian Board voted Mr. Biggar's estate his salary to December 31 of the same year at the rate of $20,000 a year.

Preliminary to superannuation, gratuities were voted by the Grand Trunk Canadian Board to Mr. Frank Scott, vice-president and treasurer, $6,000; to Mr. R. S. Logan, vice-president, $3,500; to Mr. A. B. Atwater, assistant to the president of Western lines, $1,000.

In addition to the above Mr. Graham said Mr. Howard G. Kelley, president of the Grand Trunk and of the Grand Trunk Pacific, was voted a gratuity of $40,000 on Grand Trunk account, and $10,000 on Grand Trunk Pacific accounts; Mr. R. S. Logan, vice-president, $12,000, and Mr. Frank Scott, vice-president and treasurer, $25,000 by the English Board of Directors.

Five Years' Fees

"Further," added Mr. Graham, "the English board on February 29, the date of the ratification of the acquisition agreement by the shareholders, voted themselves as compensation for loss of office, a gratuity of five years' directorate fees."

Other gratuities voted by the English directors were as follows: Mr. J. A. Dalrymple, vice-president, $16,500; Mr. W. D. Robb, vice-president, $16,500; Mr. J. M. Rosevar, comptroller, $12,000; Mr. D. E. Galloway, assistant to the president, $9,000; Mr. W. P. Hinton, vice-president and general manager G.T.P. Railway, $15,000; Mr. H. S. Hansard, solicitor-general, $5,200; Mr. S. P. Porter, executive agent G.T.P., $4,200, and $5,000 each to Mr. G. T. Bell, passenger traffic manager and Mr. C. H. Martin, freight traffic manager, Mr. H. H. Norman, secretary of the fire insurance fund and Mr. H. Dear, assistant secretary, were voted $12,500 and $10,500 respectively.

The whole of the above gratuities were to be debited to the fire insurance fund.

MANITOBA TO VOTE ON TWO LIQUOR ISSUES

Government Control and Sale of Beer and Light Wine in Cafes and Hotels to Be Submitted

WINNIPEG, March 28.—Manitoba is to have two votes on the liquor question next June, it was decided by the legislature late yesterday afternoon. The first will be on the Moderation League Bill providing for the Government control and sale of liquor, and the second one a week later on the Beer and Wine League Bill.

The parties split upon the vote, there being 24 for the motion put forward by Mr. John Queen, Labor, Winnipeg, that the Beer and Wine League's petition for the sale of beer and light wines in dining rooms of hotels and cafes be submitted to a referendum concurrently with the Moderation League Bill, and 24 for the amendment moved by Robert Jacob, Liberal, Winnipeg, provided that there should be two separate referendums, one week apart. The speaker broke the tie by voting in favor of the amendment.

Decision on Railway Extensions to Follow Shareholders' Meeting

WINNIPEG, March 28.—Interviewed today in regard to additional branch line construction, Mr. D. C. Coleman, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway Western lines, said that no definite decision will be made by the executive until after the annual meeting of the shareholders in May, at which time final plans will be announced.

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Decide Germany Should Have Asked Permission To Issue Recent Loan

PARIS, March 28.—The Reparations Mission has unanimously decided that Germany had no right to issue its recent loan without permission, says Le Matin today. As to whether the commission should require the Reich to pay over all or part of the proceeds, the French and Italian members answered "Yes" and others "No," the newspaper says.

All the Allies except France, held that the Reichsbank, being a private institution, was entitled to give security for the loan.

The article adds that Sir John Bradbury and M. Delacroix were delegates to draft a sharp note to Germany embodying the commission's views. This note probably will be delivered today.

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AGREEMENT VALID, JUDGMENT HOLDS

COURT FINDS FOR DAUGHTER IN FAMILY DISPUTE

Mortgage Given by Brother to Sister for $25,000 on Finnerty Farm Is Allowed to Stand

The old Finnerty farm, Gordon Head, 66 acres in extent, which was given by Michael Finnerty, 94 years of age, to his son, John Joseph Finnerty, is subject to the mortgage in the sum of $25,000 given by the latter to his sister, Mrs. Mary Ann Brassard, according to a judgment handed down in the Supreme Court yesterday by Mr. Justice Murphy.

The suit was brought by Mrs. Brassard to establish the validity of the mortgage; and the action was tried here last week. The evidence adduced revealed the existence of a family quarrel of long duration and much bitterness. The judgment finds for the plaintiff unconditionally, and dismisses the counterclaim of the defendant. The position assumed by the defendant was that the mortgage arrangement did not properly interpret the intentions of Michael Finnerty, father of the litigants, with respect to the property; and the court was asked to declare the mortgage invalid and to set it aside.

A Family Quarrel

A feature of the trial was the evidence of Mr. Michael Finnerty, who, still hale and hearty despite the 94 years to which he laid claim, said that he had farmed the place for 45 years; and that it was the finest farm on Vancouver Island.

Reviewing the facts as adduced in evidence, Mr. Justice Murphy's judgment finds that previous to the execution of the document giving rise to the litigation there was ill-will bettween the brother and sister. This had arisen in part, holds the learned judge, because the plaintiff felt that their father had been more generous in making monetary advances to her brother than to herself.

Discussing the provisions made by the father for his children, the judge holds that these were made to allay this ill-feeling; and also with an eye to the succession duty imposed on estates by the Province. At the time of the arrangement, the farm was valued by the family at $50,000.

Judicially Defined

The finding of the judge as to this arrangement defines it as a conveyance of the farm to the son, with the provision that the son should execute a mortgage in favor of the daughter, covering the farm, and in the sum of $25,000. Interest was to run at the rate of six per cent, so as to provide an income of $125 a month for the plaintiff. A formal document had also been executed between the parties, showing the nature of the arrangement, and that there had been no cash consideration as between the sister and brother.

The learned judge finds that what the father meant to do, and what his son knew he meant to do, was not to divide the farm as a farm, but to give his daughter half of its money's worth. The father thought the defendant was getting the better of the arrangement, in the court's opinion, while the defendant was convinced that the farm was worth more than $50,000, "and was keen that the father's plan should be carried out."

Finds for Plaintiff

The judgment holds that the defendant was warned of the danger of losing the farm if the interest could not be paid, but that the defendant expected to realize more than $50,000 from the property by subdividing it. The plaintiff had not been informed of the arrangement until after the mortgage had been prepared.

"If these findings are correct, I can see no defence to this action," concludes Mr. Justice Murphy. "Default has been made under the mortgage. There will be judgment for the plaintiff, and the defendant's counterclaim is dismissed."

Mr. Ernest Miller appeared on the trial for the plaintiff, and Mr. A. D. Crease for the defendant.

OFFICER STOPS CAR WITH PISTOL SHOTS

Speeding Motorist Admits Offence, and Says He Thought It Was Case of Hold-Up

The story of how Traffic Constable George Allen was compelled to shoot two bullet holes into the car tires of Robert Donnelly, before he could persuade that motorist to abate his speed or stop his car on Quadra Street, was told in the police court yesterday, when Magistrate Jay fined Donnelly $30 for speeding.

The defendant pleaded guilty to the charge, but denied some of the allegations of the police officer, and said he did not stop because he thought at first it was a case of hold-up.

Constable Allen told the court that the defendant drove past him at a reckless speed. The officer followed and blew his horn three times, but the accused took no notice. Then Constable Allen pulled abreast of Donnelly, he testified, and ordered him to stop, but without result. The manoeuvre was repeated, and again the defendant refused to stop, swore the constable. It was then that Constable Allen was driven to the extremity of firing two revolver shots into the defendant's car tires, one of which took effect. Finally the defendant stopped, but not until he had steered his car in an alleged attempt to ditch the constable on his motorcycle.

Constable Allen further alleged that the defendant had been drinking. There was a bottle of beer in the car. The officer estimated the speed at 35 miles an hour; and said that Donnelly was driving recklessly and to the common danger.

The defendant, while admitting the charge of speeding, denied the allegations of insobriety; said that he had stopped as soon as he knew that his pursuer was a police officer, and offered the final excuse that he thought at first it was a case of attempted hold-up.

Magistrate Jay imposed a fine of $30.

Empire Press Union May Meet in Australia

LONDON, March 28.—Hon. W. Ormsby-Gore stated in the House of Commons yesterday that he understood the Empire Press Union contemplated holding the next Imperial Press Conference in Australia in 1925, if the necessary arrangements could be mad

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REEVE LOCKLEY WILL GIVE MEDAL

TO BE FOR LEADING PUPIL OF LAMPSON STREET SCHOOL

School Board Will Notify Reeve of Name of Winner—General Business Discussed

The Esquimalt School Board, at its monthly meeting Tuesday night, decided, after considerable interchange of opinion, to ask Mr. Leonard Tait, principal of the Lampson Street Public School, to furnish the School Trustees with the name of the pupil of that school who secured the highest marks in last year's examinations, so that Reeve Lockley would know who had earned the $25 gold medal which he has given to the successful scholar in the past.

The matter of the gold medal was brought before the School Board by Trustee Parkinson, who informed his colleagues that Reeve Lockley had, at a meeting several years ago, expressed the hope that all future reeves would continue to present to the student topping the list in the Lampson Street School a gold medal as a reward and recognition of his or her work. The speaker declared that Reeve Lockley had also stated that in the event of his being returned as reeve he would continue to present this award each year.

"It is unfortunate that Reeve Lockley has not been notified who was the successful student last year. It is an injustice to deprive the successful student of the award," continued Trustee Parkinson, in urging that the Board should take some action that would result in the scholar obtaining the gold medal.

Does Not Remember "Promise"

Trustee Mulcahy said that he also remembered the meeting which Trustee Parkinson had referred to where Reeve Lockley had spoken. He did not recall any promise having been made by the Reeve that he was going to present a gold medal again this year.

"The 1922 School Board received no word from Reeve Lockley in respect to this gold medal being presented again by him," Trustee Mulcahy declared.

Trustee Parkinson asked why last year's Board had not got in touch with Reeve Lockley regarding the matter. "The Board should have notified him, so that he would officially know who had earned the honors."

"There you go again; always hitting at the 1922 Board," interjected Trustee Mrs. Isbister, heatedly. "Last year's School Board was the best Board Esquimalt has ever had since the Lampson Street School was built," she maintained.

Trustee Mulcahy said that he had never heard of Reeve Lockley saying last year that he was going to give this medal again.

Says Reeve Offers Medal

Trustee Parkinson stated that Reeve Lockley had declared not more than a month ago at a meeting of the Parent-Teachers' Association that he was ready to give the prize as soon as he was notified of the name of the winner of the award.

Expressing the hope that the successful pupil would receive the medal, Trustee Mulcahy made it quite clear that he wanted to see the boy or girl that headed the school receive a reward for his or her labors. By all means encourage the pupils to make the highest marks and make the best showing possible, he continued.

The Board agreed to notify Reeve Lockley as to which student headed the school last year.

A communication was received from the secretary of the Victoria School Board, in which a list was given of the marks obtained by Esquimalt pupils who were attending the city institution. The results of the pupils' work were considered as showing a good average.

Accounts for the month, totalling $448.17, were ordered paid.

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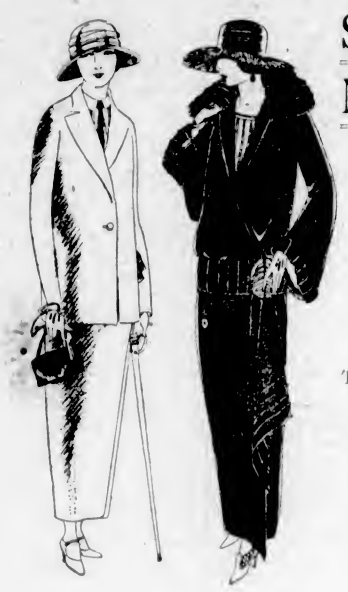

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"ON TO VICTORIA" CLUB FORMED IN SEATTLE

SEATTLE, March 28.—Formation of an "On to Victoria" Club, with thirty-five Seattle members pledged to attend the convention of the International 100 Per Cent Clubs in Victoria, B.C., June 25, and adoption of a plan to publish an international monthly bulletin, The Percenter, were the outstanding features of the first annual Northwest conference of 100 Per Cent Clubs held at the Hotel Gowman yesterday and last night.

Visiting delegates from Spokane, Portland, Tacoma, Vancouver and Victoria, B.C., were guests of the Seattle club at a luncheon, and in the afternoon attended the executive sessions of the conference with Merle Campbell, of Portland, first vice-president of the international organization, presiding.

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Steel Stores' Future To Be Decided Upon at Meeting in Toronto

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Irish Free State Faces Twenty Million Deficit

DUBLIN, March 28.—President Cosgrave submitted the estimates of the Government's receipts for next year to the Dail Tireann yesterday. The estimates total £26,750,000, leaving nearly £20,000,000 deficit "to be found by borrowing or otherwise."

A central fund bill was passed, authorizing the borrowing by the Finance Minister on securities bearing such interest as he thinks fit, of £14,750,000 and giving the Bank of Ireland authority to make such advance.

STEAMER FIRED AT

HONG KONG, March 28.—The British steamer Kweilin was fired at from the shore of the Canton River, two miles from Canton. She reached Hong Kong yesterday undamaged.

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Thursday, March 29, 1923

ISLAND DEVELOPMENT

Upon the return of Premier Oliver from his present speaking tour the Cabinet is to decide on the allocation of road expenditures for the coming fiscal year. This will be the opportunity of the members for the Southern end of Vancouver Island to press for a continuation of the West Coast road. The continuation of this road from Jordan River to Renfrew and thence to Bamfield probably involves construction of some 60 miles. This could be built at from $3,000 to $4,000 a mile under careful and economical supervision. The Government's estimate, we believe, is considerably in excess of this.

It is rapidly being realized that what is holding back the development of Southern Vancouver Island is the lack of transportation facilities. From the standpoint of both industries and tourists roads are essential. The united pressure of public opinion should be brought to bear on this subject, and as a first instalment of development attention should be centred on the building of the West Coast road. To begin with, all the members of the constituencies affected should be urged to interest themselves. If they are determined then the Government cannot fail to listen to their representations in a sympathetic way. We have been too prone to adopt a passive attitude towards governmental negligence and discrimination against this district. It is as important that Southern Vancouver Island should be settled as it is that any other district throughout the Province should flourish through a growing population, and it is about time that the people should assert themselves towards this end. A first consideration is to interest the members whose duty it is to look after the interests of their constituents in this part of British Columbia.

INDUSTRIAL PROPAGANDA

The kernel of Mr. E. D. Barrow's address at the convention of the Farmers' Institutes of Vancouver Island was his plea for industrial development. "We are still importing," he said, "millions of dollars worth of materials which can be and are to an inadequate extent grown within our borders." He sounded a pregnant note in this direction when he urged a campaign of education of British Columbia people to induce them to buy British Columbia products both agricultural and manufactured. In this direction the Provincial Government can perform a useful task through one or other of its agencies or departments. In fact we would consider that the Bureau of Information was the ideal branch of governmental activities to carry on a perennial campaign to put before the people the benefits to be derived from buying home products. Again and again the value of such a campaign has been urged from the standpoint of its local significance. It should be emphasized, too, in the wider Provincial sense, but unless this is done under the aegis of the Provincial Government it will not be done at all. Sectional campaigns in this particular, if they are successful, mean sectional progress, but that progress can be translated in a wider way into the progress of British Columbia as a whole. What is wanted is some well conceived and permanent industrial campaign of development. Methods at present affecting marketing and many other phases of local production are too haphazard, and it is time they were improved. Mr. Barrow should give the people a lead by a governmental campaign of education. He will have the enthusiastic support of every citizen who believes in progress in any efforts which are designed to increase the consumption of home-grown and home-manufactured goods.

POLITICIANS

Mr. Lloyd George recently addressed the students of Edinburgh University as their Lord Rector. He chose as his subject the politician, and the qualities that he should possess. Courage, he said, was the foremost of the politician's virtues. The phrase he used was "stoutness of heart rather than thickness of skin, which generally goes with thickness of head." Another essential qualification was ability to speak. His whole speech was an argument in justification of the race of politicians and of their function and place in society. In this respect he alluded to a truth which is not often masticated by those who are in the habit of speaking slightingly of the genus politician. It was that few are likely to survive the hardships and disappointments of public life unless they have in them nobler than selfish motive... The politician is the intermediary between the thinker and the unthinking voter. He thus plays a very important part in the dissemination of political ideas. Although there are fewer orators than in the past the debating power in the British Parliament has risen to a greater height in recent years than ever before, and the members are more truly representative of the people.

There are many who argue that there is too much talk in parliaments and legislatures, but Mr. Lloyd George is not one of these. His view is that the mission of the House of Commons is to air views fully before reaching decisions. He does not believe in the "strong, silent man" nor in the businessman as contrasted with the politician. In this respect he points out that the businessman would be in a sorry position if all his mistakes were pointed out, as is the case with the politician. The latter lives in the limelight of public opinion. All the time, if he is to survive as a politician, he has to exercise constraint over his actions and put a continuous guard on his tongue. In politics it is a question of the survival of the fittest under a representative system of government. Mr. Lloyd George makes out an excellent case for the politician in answer to those who believe that such a career is only for self seekers.

We are informed that the language used in criticizing Sir Henry Newbolt in the students' publication, The Ubyssey, of the University of British Columbia, is regretted and there will be an expression of this feeling of regret in the next issue.

A fossilized human skull discovered in Patagonia is believed to belong to the tertiary period and to be a million years old. If this is established it will upset all accepted scientific views on the antiquity of man, at least so far as this continent is concerned.

Peking newspapers report there is a man living in Manchuria who is 163 years old. He was born in the 25th year of the reign of the Emperor Chien Lung. The Government has just granted him an annual pension, which is regarded as an act of generosity in view of the financial difficulties of China.

For naval purposes the United United States Government has set aside an area of 35,000 square miles as an oil reserve in Northwestern Alaska. Of this a tract of 125,000 acres is to be exploited by private investigators. Seepages of oil have been found along the Arctic Coast, but the possibilities of developing a supply are unknown.

In Russia where in the past the death penalty was meted out to traffickers in drugs, it acted as no restraint on the number of those who used cocaine. Under the Soviet Government we do not know what means are employed to deal with the traffic. Restrictive legislation does not seem to be efficacious in balking the craving for narcotics. The evil will probably never be stamped out until cheap, wholesome and palateable beverages are provided without restrictions of time or place for their consumption.

The presence of a German ship in these waters is a reminder of the manner in which Germany is rapidly recovering the trade that she enjoyed in pre-war times. In 1913 Germany was Britain's most serious competitor in shipping. With 5,000,000 tons afloat she was the world's second greatest maratime power. The Treaty of Versailles reduced Germany's tonnage to 400,000 tons. Since then she has built up her merchant marine to 2,500,000 tons, and by the end of the present year she will have 3,000,000 tons. Britain only of all countries is building more ships than Germany at the present time.

The personnel of Britain's air force during 1923-1924 is to be 33,000. The cost is to be £12,011,000 as compared with £10,895,000 in 1922-1923. The scheme of expansion for home defence involves the formation of 15 new squadrons, but only seven of these will be formed during the forthcoming financial year. Of the latter, three will be additions to the strength of the air units working with the Navy and these will take full effect during 1923-1924. The fact of these new squadrons will mean work for the aircraft industry, which has been passing through very lean times in recent years. The increases such as they are will not, however, put Britain in the position of strength which she should enjoy in the air.

The question of the date of the Exodus is still agitating many minds through the subject being resurrected by the discovery of the tomb of Tutankhamen. Recent research supports the view that Merenptah was the Pharaoh of the Exodus. He ruled about 1250 B.C., although it is conceded that the Exodus may have taken place 50 years later than that date. The question seems to hinge on the reliability of the dates for the 19th Dynasty in Egypt. Tutankhamen belonged to the 18th Dynasty, which was established in 1600 B.C., and was succeeded in 1350 B.C. by the 19th, another Theban Dynasty of which Merenptah was the fourth Pharaoh, but about the duration of whose reign there is some doubt. His immediate predecessor, Rameses II, reigned for 67 years.

Note and Comment

There is a certain kind of voice that is said by a high authority to be an excellent thing in a woman. Almost any kind of a human voice is a marvellous thing, and great credit is due to the race for the development of it.

Our neighbors of the lower order, although their days have been as long in the land as ours, and possibly a good deal longer, have not succeeded in producing such a fine instrument. The lion may roar, the elephant trumpet, the monkey chatter, and the jungle and the fields produce a chorus that is not unpleasant to the ear; but the general effect is not music.

The late Mme. Bernhardt is reputed to have had a voice of extraordinary power and quality. A great deal of her success as an interpreter of the characters in which she appeared on the stage is said to have been due to the subtle appeal she made to her audiences through the magnificent and harmonious tones of her voice. All great artists have that tonal quality.

It is a curious fact that no single human voice is exactly like that of any other human voice, just as no single human face or form is precisely like any other human face or form. Musicians doubtless long have been aware of this proof of the resourcefulness of Nature; ordinary people have learned it through the invention of that most marvellous machine, the phonograph.

There are singers of great power, but there are none of precisely the same appealing quality of tone as Melba. She is as distinct and unique as a soprano as Caruso was as a tenor. Their voices are on record, and should be counted among the treasures that will fall into the possession of succeeding generations of mankind.

The musicians and the musical critics, no doubt, will find their own apt words to express their joy in M. Joseph Bonnet; but one needed not to be either to find in the organ recital last Tuesday night the open sesame to the chamber of all harmonies. Perhaps, indeed, the uncultured listener had the better of the bargain. It is something nowadays, and beyond all price, to sit at any feast with unsophisticated palate. It is good to come into the presence of an authentic artist, to be aware of his compelling art, and to be at the same time free of hindering preconceptions. But we would say no more than is enough to make a virtue of our necessity.

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Enough, that we had ears wherewithal to hear; and that we heard "music fain," and such strains of earthly and heavenly melody as took us back through all the human ages of reverence and endeavor and joy and suffering, even to the legendary age of the great god Pan, he of the pastures and the woods, and within hearing of the pipes he played when men worshipped him in Arcadia.

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M. Bonnet is a very great artist; and he showed us what a great instrument is the pipe organ under the hands of a master. Hamlet's "miraculous organ" was by definition another instrument; but Shakespeare's phrase is relevant to the thoughts evoked by M. Bonnet's genius in one at least of his auditors.

The British people are strong on the creation of precedents. The farm laborers there are on strike, and it is doubtful if there is any record of agricultural workers in any other country in the world resorting to such extreme methods. But Great Britain is highly organized in more senses than one, and the more complete and complex the organization the greater the danger of a breakdown.

Premier Oliver is "indifferent honest," and there doubtless is some sincerity in the fervor with which he declares that he will carry the fight for equal freight rates to Alberta, to Ottawa, and even farther if necessary, but the Premier is a politician, believes himself a fairly astute one, and he must excuse us if we point out that there is a by-election of some importance pending in the not unimportant city of Vancouver.

By the Way—

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WHEN Thomas Jafferson was elected President of the United States some admirers at Cheshire, Mass., decided to celebrate by presenting him with a cheese that in size should surpass all records. The cheese hoop in which it was placed was 4 feet in diameter and 18 inches high. After special exercises the cheese, accompanied by Elder John Leland, made its journey to Washington from Cheshire in a wagon drawn by six horses and bearing the label, "The Greatest Cheese in America for the Greatest Man in America." Six months later there was still some of that cheese left, notwithstanding the President's lavish hospitality.

Huge Cheeses Presented to Presidents

A cheese of even greater proportions was sent to President Andrew Jackson by a dairy farmer. This particular cheese was more than 4 feet in diameter, 2 feet thick and weighed 1,400 pounds.

Poems That Endure

Untwisting all the chains that tie
The hidden soul of harmony.
—John Milton.

THE POET AND HIS SONGS

As the birds come in the Spring,
We know not from where;
As the stars come at evening
From the depths of the air;

As the rain comes from the cloud,
And the brook from the ground;
As suddenly, low or loud,
Out of silence a sound;

As the grape comes to the vine,
The fruit to the tree;
As the wind comes to the pine,
And the tide to the sea;

As come the white sails of ships
O'er the ocean's verge;
As comes the smile to the lips,
The foam the surge;

So come to the poet his songs,
All hitherward blown
From the misty land, that belongs
To the vast Unknown.

His, and not his, are the lays
He sings; and their fame
Is his, and not his—and the praise
And the pride of a name.

For voices pursue him by day
And haunt him by night,
And he listens, and needs must obey
When the Angel says: "Write!"
—Henry Wadsworth Longfellow.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

Date of Easter

Sir,—The following passage occurs in a book of miscellanies published in London, 1877, by William Tegg & Co., entitled, "One Hour's Reading": "According to the Prayer Book rule, Easter Day is always the first Sunday after the full moon which happens upon or next after the 21st day of March; and if the full moon happens upon a Sunday, Easter Day is the Sunday after." But as this rule goes upon the presumption (which is not always correct) that the vernal equinox is on the 21st of March, and that the moon is full on the 14th day, it frequently happens that the day appointed according to the ecclesiastical rule is different from that which would be observed were it regulated by the real moon in the heavens, instead of by an imaginary moon, the movements of which are calculated by a very ancient method. Hence, when this discrepancy occurs, letters in the newspapers appear, the writers of which presume the almanac makers are at fault. In the hope that this explanation may relieve the minds of many anxious inquirers.

CHAS. L. ROBERTS.

Room 2, Surrey Block, Victoria, B.C., March 28, 1923.

"Positive Rebellion"

Sir,—Your article on "Positive Rebellion" interested me, and I trust it will be instrumental in stirring the hearts of loyal Canadians. I had been shocked once before by the Bolshevistic utterances emanating from the B.C. University students against Canon Hinchliffe when he attacked the history, whose chapter on the war (the only one I read) held no mention of Britain's navy or the brave deeds of her soldiers. But we need not go to Vancouver to hear such sentiments as the B.C.U. paper expresses. After listening to Sir Henry Newbolt's splendid lecture at the Victoria High School, I walked away with two Victoria College students, and let me quote one remark, viz., "Sir Henry Newbolt is being criticized for his uncomplimentary remarks on the aloofness of the United States, and who is England to talk of aloofness when she herself held aloof until 1848!" Is it any wonder our students go to the universities of United States where they can study American ideals at first hand?

LEONE HAYWARD.

2470 Bowkar Avenue, Victoria, B.C., May 28, 1922.

Children and Criminals

Sir,—History repeats itself, and my subject is not a new one. The particular repetition of which I wish to speak is the practice of human experimentation which was carried on centuries ago and has continued, through varying periods, up to the present time.

There are societies which have been formed for the express purpose of protecting both animals and human beings from experimentation. Those who have followed the growth of these movements will appreciate the difficulties incurred by them. Such organizations, however, could not have existed for a month had they been based upon erroneous statements. The fact that they have been formed is sufficient proof that there is a reason for their existence.

I think, Sir, that you cannot have failed to note the repeated demand that has been made for "human material." Criminals condemned to death are still in request. I say "still," because a bill for such a measure was introduced into the Ohio legislature in 1894, but was not passed. Some few years ago Dr. Preston King, Bath, England, advocating the use of criminals for research work, said: "At present we are wandering in the dark, seeking vainly for the light that these experiments alone can give." Not a tithe of the evidence corroborating his statement can be given here, but I recall the words of Professor Starling, vivisector, of England. Speaking on animal experiments, he says: "These researches must be taken in a spirit of pure curiosity and from a love of knowledge itself." It was this Prof. Starling who said (before the last Royal Commission): "The final experiment must always be on man."

A parallel to this renewed demand for human material is seen in the proposed bill to be presented in Albany, N.Y., to prohibit experiments on children without the consent of their parents. (See Christian Science Monitor, March 14, 1923.) The supporters of this bill state that they can produce overwhelming and authentic evidence. I do not doubt it! Dr. Flexner, director of Rockefeller's Institute, leads the opposition to the bill. It was argued by the opposition to the proposal that such a bill "would block research work." Here, then, we have three parties (or might we say two?): (1) Presenting a bill to protect children from experiments. (2) Opposing the passage of said bill. (3) Demanding criminals for vivisection.

In July, 1914, a member of the Pasteur Institute in Paris wrote to The Standard (London) suggesting that if the less valuable portions of humanity could be experimented upon, the world would suffer no loss and possibly make great gains. Which of us wishes to be numbered in the category of the "less valuable"?

The best way to stay an evil is to give it publicity. Human experimentation has been and is practiced but the seal of officialdom has yet to be placed upon it.

DORA KITTO.

920 Heywood Avenue, Victoria, B.C., March 28, 1923.

Insects' Brains

Sir,—In reference to your interesting article in your issue of March 22 on Miss L. E. Cheesman's observations on ants and their ways, and the possibility of their having brains.

In this connection, what came under my observation in Assam may be of interest. On an occasion when going through the jungle, it occurred to me to place a red ant in a spider web.

The ants I speak of are little red pugnatious creatures. I do not know their scientific name, but as they frequent trees and bushes and in great numbers, I suppose, would be the Formica rufa (the red, wood ant, rather than the red wood, ant, a distinction if there is, of the latter species).

These little fellows, when on the approach of one's finger, will obligingly wait, and nip one if the approach is near enough, and look, with elevated head, if the object comes from above.

Well, I dropped one of the ants into the web. The spider came out to investigate, and, seeing the nature of the "catch," wisely retired, and, to use the vernacular, "sat tight."

The incident caused great excitement among the other ants, who collected round the web on the bush; several bold spirits ventured out on the web, and when some way from shore, as it were, would trip and get entangled; others would venture out on a cable of the web, and, getting obviously nervous, would return to the safety of a twig. It was confusion worse confounded, and were my aditory nerve tuned to a higher pitch, I would doubtless have heard great shoutings and tumult—a great scampering about, great excitement, and more ants arriving all the time. Then there seemed to be a "brain wave" from where, in some ant, orders were apparently given out, perhaps shouted across the web, for the ants started to deliberately nip the cables of the web, and so let it drop to the ground, where, I suppose they saved their friends. I am sure I got no thanks!

"View tha ant's ways, thou sluggard, and be wise." I wonder if they have improved in intellect since that was said.

C. GORDON STUART.

Cadboro Bay, B.C., March 28, 1923.

Fire in Massachusetts Does Damage of $750,000

HULL, Mass., March 29. — Fire, which laid waste much of Nantasket Beach last night, was brought under control early this morning. Paragon Park, the amusement centre, was almost entirely overrun by the flames, and about seventy-five houses and cottages were destroyed. All the hotels and the new town hall were saved. Loss was estimated at about $750,000.

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Member Asks if British Admiralty Has Knowledge of Intentions to Bring Fleets to Parity

LONDON, March 28.—The question whether the United States intends to proceed with the modernization of her warships was raised in the House of Commons today coincidentally with the receipt of a press dispatch from Washington quoting chairman Madden, of the House Appropriations Committee declaring that such modernization would be out of harmony with the Washington Naval Treaty.

Sir Clement Kinloch-Cooke, Conservative, asked whether the Admiralty's attention had been drawn to "the statement that what the United States Government now proposes, irrespective of misinformation concerning the British plans, is that the American navy should proceed under the conditions of Washington treaty to modernize such of her warships as may be necessary to bring the two fleets in complete parity.

Mr. B. N. Eyres-Monsell, Parliamentary Secretary of the Admiralty, replied that his attention had been drawn to various statements, some in the sense indicated, and some in contradiction of that. He had no information concerning the eventual intentions of the United States.

ONTARIO TOWN IN GRIP OF TYPHOID

One-Eighth of the Population of Cochrane Stricken—Epidemic Reaching Crisis

NORTH BAY, Ont., March 28.—Four hundred and fourteen persons, representing one-eighth of the total population of the town of Cochrane, are in the grip of an epidemic of typhoid fever which is rapidly reaching its crisis, according to a message received by the chairman of the T. & N. O. Commission. So far only three deaths have occurred and nurses are arriving daily on the scene and coping satisfactorily with the situation.

REBEL LEADER ARRESTED

BELFAST, March 28.—Sailor Barry, one of the most active republican leaders in County Cork, was arrested here last night, according to a dispatch received here.

MR. OLIVER SEES GOOD TIMES AHEAD

Business Outlook Better Than for Past Eight or Nine Years, Claims Premier

VERNON, B.C., March 28.—The business outlook is better than it has been for the past eight or nine years, declared Premier Oliver in an address before the members of the Vernon Board of Trade here at noon today. Conditions were becoming more settled, and, with British Columbia rich in natural resources, he could see nothing but good times ahead. Mr. Oliver dealt briefly with the unemployment situation and said doles would never be given to "unemployables" in future, as was the case two years ago.

He addresses a public meeting on freight rates tonight.

NEWSPAPER WOMEN MEET IN VICTORIA

Three Hundred, From All Parts of Canada, Will Attend Convention in Autumn

VANCOUVER, March 28.—Three hundred newspaper women from every part of Canada will assemble here and in Victoria early in the Autumn for the third triennial convention of Canadian Women's Press Clubs. The local club has been notified by the national executive in Toronto that Victoria and Vancouver will be the place of this year's meetings. Dates for the convention have not been definitely set.

ESTIMATES WORRY PEOPLE OF IRELAND

LONDON, March 28.—The Irish people are disturbed over the amount of Government estimates for the new fiscal year, as announced by President Cosgrave in the Dail Monday, says a Dublin dispatch to The Times. Public opinion is also dissatisfied with the President's failure to go into details in his announcement.

UNEMPLOYMENT DECREASING

LONDON, March 28.—The total number of unemployed persons in Great Britain is still declining, according to the latest official report. The number has now fallen to 1,260,500, a reduction of 225,000 since the beginning of the year.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of March 29, 1873)

Indians' Bloody Work—While the Hudson's Bay Company's steamer Otter was at Nalla Coola, Mr. Clayton (the company's agent there) told them that the Chilcotan Indians had killed another white man a few days before. Who the man was is not known, but Mr. Clayton entertained no doubt of the correctness of the report. These Chilcotins are the worst Indians in British Columbia. It was they who massacred Waddington's road party in 1864, and the delay of the Dominion Government in organizing the Indian Department in this Province has emboldened them to perpetrate another atrocity.

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BULGARIA ROUNDS UP SUSPECTED ANARCHISTS

SOFIA, March 28.—More than two hundred alleged anarchists have been arrested throughout the country in raids conducted by the police during the last few days. Sixty-three persons were arrested in this city when the police surrounded a meeting hall.

OTTAWA, March 28.—Known throughout Canada and also in other countries as one of the highest authorities on Canadian history, Louis Philippe Sylvain, aged 78, for 45 years in charge of the Canadian Historical Department of the Parliamentary Library, died here yesterday after a lengthy illness. Although of high literary abilities, he himself never undertook to write on Canadian history, being satisfied to review and classify the works of others.

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BRIDGE WORKERS THREATEN STRIKE

WILL DEMAND IMMEDIATE INCREASE IN WAGES

Resenting Remarks of Aldermen, Men Decide on Action—Claim They Are Indispensable

In retaliation for the threat of the City Council to discontinue payment of union wages to men employed in the construction of the concrete substructure of the Johnson Street bridge, the workers will file a demand for an increase of 50c to $1 a day, to take effect next Monday, and continue until the expiration of the present contract, about one month from today.

"Some of the aldermen have threatened to wield the big stick against us, and we are going to show them that we are in a position to do the same thing—and perhaps with better effect," a representative of the men told The Colonist last night. "The men on the bridge job are indispensable, and they know it. They can't be replaced, and the Council might as well know it now as later on."

Bridge carpenters, who constitute the class of labor principally affected, are now getting $6 a day.

If the Council refuses to grant the demands of the men, a strike may be called. The men claim that if the strike is allowed to continue for long, the Canadian Bridge Company will be obliged to take action against the city for holding up the work, as every day lost in building the substructure will result in the company's contract time being reduced to that extent. Assembling of the steel superstructure cannot be advanced until the foundations are completed.

Aldermen E. B. Andros and George Sangster are said to be the members of the Council against whose remarks and general attitude the workers have taken particular exception. Alderman Andros declared last week that payment of union wages was responsible for the increased cost of the bridge, and said "the whole thing was a hold-up by the Trades and Labor Council."

It was Alderman Sangster who moved that the city should discontinue paying union wages on the bridge, as had been provided in the specifications drawn up to govern the Johnson Street paving contract.

City Engineer F. M. Preston will submit a report this afternoon to the public works committee regarding the proposal. It is understood that he will oppose tampering with the wages at the present stage of operations.

The Canadian Bridge Company is reported to be paying its steel workers on the bridge contract $9 a day. The men are experts, and are engaged in particularly hazardous work.

OBITUARIES

SIMMONDS—The funeral of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Simmonds will take place this afternoon from the B. C. Funeral Chapel at 2:15, proceeding to the Emmanuel Baptist Church, where service will be conducted by the Rev. Wm. Stevenson at 2:30. The remains will be interred in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

CHIPP—The remains of the late Mrs. Nora Annie Chipp are resting in the chapel of the B. C. Funeral Co., where service has been arranged to take place on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

BISHOP—There passed away at an early hour yesterday morning, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Gunner Frederick William Bishop, R. C. G. A., aged 48 years, a native of the Channel Islands, and a resident of this city for many years, and was attached to Work Point Garrison. He is survived by his widow. The remains are reposing at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, and will be conveyed today to the Work Point Barracks, whence the funeral will take place on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. The remains will be laid to rest in the Naval Cemetery, Esquimalt.

McLAREN — Died, on Tuesday night, at the Jubilee Hospital, Miss Agnes McLaren, youngest daughter of the late Mr. Alexander McLaren, of Melrose, near Belleville, Ontario. Her nieces in this city are Mrs. Dr. Campbell, Mrs. David MacLaren and Mrs. Thornton Fell. The funeral will take place this (Thursday) afternoon at 3:30 from the home of Rev. David MacLaren, 740 Victoria Avenue.

GREXTON—The death occurred yesterday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital of Albert Leslie Grexton, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Grexton of 810 Wilson Street. The funeral will take place on Saturday, March 31, at 2 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

GARDINER—The funeral of the late Charles John Gardiner, husband of Mrs. Mary Gardiner, of 1418 Vining Street, will take place this afternoon, March 29, at 4 o'clock from Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. William Stevenson will officiate and interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

FULL AUTONOMY SOON FOR SOUTH VANCOUVER

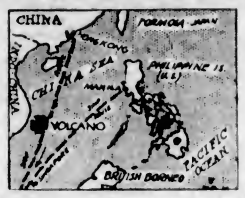
Consequent upon the recent action of the Provincial Government in proclaiming the coming into effect of the act passed at the last session of the Legislature, the municipality of South Vancouver will secure complete autonomy on April 2 next. Proclamation to that effect will appear in today's issue of The Provincial Gazette.

The present municipal council, which has been carrying on under limited powers, will continue to act until a new council is elected at the date of the regular council election next December, but boards of School Trustees and Police Commissioners must be elected, and the Government has fixed the date of nominations of candidates for such boards for April 23, and of the poll, if one is necessary, for April 28.

With the repayment to the Government of the loan advanced three years ago the municipality of South Vancouver is again in a position to control its own affairs.

Commissioner Wells Grey, who has had charge of the financial affairs of the municipality as representative of the Provincial Government, will relinquish his position. Report has it that he is likely to be a candidate for mayor at the next municipal elections in New Westminster.

FROM OUT OF THE SEA



A new volcano is reported to have erupted on the floor of the China Sea, and to have built up a new island in latitude 108.59 east by 10 north. The cross on the map shows the location of the disturbance. It lies near the coast of Indo-China, and is close to the path of ships sailing from Singapore to Hong Kong.

The island is described as the tip of a peak whose top just protrudes above water. It is 1,300 feet across and 100 feet high.

Such islands are not unknown in volcanic localities. Often the appearance of one is the signal for others to erupt, for volcanoes prefer to blow up in families.

HIGH WAGE RATE BLAMED FOR COST

MR. D. O. LEWIS CONFERS WITH MAYOR ON BRIDGE

Believes City Engineer Did His Part of Work Efficiently—Excess Expenditure Due to Policy

Employment of day labor instead of letting out the work on a contract basis was responsible for most of the excess cost of the Johnson Street bridge over the estimate originally fixed, in the opinion of Mr. D. O. Lewis, prominent civil engineer, formerly of Victoria and now of Vancouver, who conferred yesterday with Mayor Hayward.

Mr. Lewis was at one time district engineer for the Canadian National Railways on Vancouver Island with offices in this city, and is now acting as a consulting engineer in connection with important works being carried on in the Province, specializing in railway and bridge construction.

During his present visit in Victoria Mr. Lewis has made a cursory inspection of the Johnson Street bridge and yesterday he expressed the opinion to the Mayor that the work could not have been improved upon, so far as he could see. He believed that if any investigation were held, as had been proposed, it would be found that City Engineer F. M. Preston had managed the details of construction in an efficient and economical way and that the excessive cost of the structure could not reasonably be charged up against methods of construction or engineering.

The fault lay, in the opinion of Mr. Lewis, in the general policy adopted by the City Council in regard to labor. Mr. Lewis stated that had the entire project of building the bridge been placed with private contractors the city would have been safeguarded against an increase in the cost originally provided for, because the contractors and not the city would have been obliged to shoulder whatever excess there might be. Instead, however, the Council had ignored private tenders for building the concrete substructure of the bridge and authorized Mr. Preston to build it with day labor. It was this item, Mr. Lewis said, that was mainly responsible for the need for additional loans to finance the structure.

The Council has decided to call for tenders for the paving of Johnson Street west without making any specifications in the contract regarding labor and wages.

The same policy will be initiated during the closing stages of building the bridge substructure unless Mr. Preston strongly advises against it today. Mr. Preston will report to the Public Works Committee this afternoon whether or not he is in favor of abandoning "the current union wage" during the next three or four weeks until the concrete work is finished.

FOUND DEAD IN ATHENS

Attorney-General Asked to Locate Relatives of William Hamilton, Thought Former Victorian

In response to a request received from the British Consulate at Athens by the Department of the Attorney-General, efforts will be made to seek the whereabouts of relatives of one William Hamilton, who is believed to have formerly lived in Victoria.

Hamilton, according to the information received here, was found dead in a street in the Piraeus section of Athens, and was buried in the British Naval cemetery there. He went to Greece about two years ago, and stated he was born in Victoria in 1869. Shortly before his death he had applied for passports to go to Egypt. No money was found on his person.

It is believed that Hamilton may have left some relatives living in this city or Province.

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ALPINE CLUB AT ANNUAL DINNER

ANNIVERSARY BRINGS MOUNTAIN CLIMBERS TOGETHER

Annual Gathering of the Vancouver Island Section Held Last Evening at Dominion Hotel

At its seventeenth anniversary dinner held last evening at the Dominion Hotel the Vancouver Island section of the Alpine Club of Canada drew up and enthusiastically adopted a congratulatory message to be forwarded to the 1922 Mount Everest expedition, this being coupled with every good wish for the success of the proposed 1924 expedition. Captain Westmorland, chairman of the section, presided at this anniversary dinner, among the honored guests at which were Mr. A. O. Wheeler, of Sidney, director of the Alpine Club of Canada, and Mrs. Wheeler. The occasion brought together a good representation of the members of the local organization, who did full justice to the excellent menu provided by the Dominion Hotel management. The tables, arranged in horseshoe formation, were charmingly decorated by Miss Cowell and Mrs. Longstaff with daffodils and violets sent from Mrs. Wheeler's garden at Sidney.

The toasts and responses thereto provided the major part of the speechmaking of the evening, being as follows:

"The King," proposed by the chairman; "The Ladies," proposed by Colonel Greer, responded to by Miss Bruce; "Mount Everest Expedition," proposed by Captain Westmorland; and "The Alpine Club of Canada," proposed by Mr. Lindley Crease, was responded to by Mr. A. O. Wheeler.

Captain Westmorland gave a graphic account of the fight with circumstances, altitude and the elements encountered by the 1922 expedition, showing how both speed and endurance at the great elevations reached were governed by the lungs. In addition to the disability arising from this source, the climbers had to contend with a dearth of the right kind of food, as the higher they went the more difficult it was to bring up supplies in time and sufficient quantities to meet the need. The use of oxygen, an artificial stimulant the advantages of which were demonstrated by the expedition, had the disadvantage of stimulating the appetite when food was at a premium. The climbers, Mallory and Moorshead in the first instance, Finch and Bruce in the second, went "all out," keeping only enough reserve to get back to camp. The former reached an elevation of 26,985 feet; the latter succeeded in getting to 27,235 feet, and half a mile nearer the summit than the preceding party.

Inexhaustible Treasure

"Our mountains, the Canadian Rockies, possess inexhaustible treasure for the generations to come," said Mr. Lindley Crease, in proposing the toast to the Alpine Club of Canada. The scientist, the geologist, the botanist, climber and artist alike would do a national service in developing the knowledge of the mountains. The speaker noted that in this, the seventeenth anniversary of the Alpine Club of Canada, the organization could boast of a membership of over 700.

Mr. Wheeler, the director, in responding, gave a comprehensive review of mountaineering activities for the year 1922. So far as the Alpine Club of Canada was concerned, the activities of the society had been outstanding, much good mountaineering work having been done both by the club's members and by others. The club entered the new year in good condition, with interest well maintained and membership growing.

Reference to the 1922 Mount Everest expedition touched on the fact that the Canadian Club had been represented on this as on the 1921 expedition, Dr. T. G. Longstaff and Dr. A. W. Wakefield being members of the Alpine Club of Canada. Major E. O. Wheeler, the club's representative in the 1921 expedition, had spent the Summer in Canada, and had met many of his old mountaineering friends.

The director referred to the forthcoming Summer's camp. The ballot for the choice of the site does not close until the end of March, but thus far the vote had shown three to one in favor of Larch Valley, near Moraine Lake. This location would provide excellent facilities for climbing the Ten Peaks.

War Memorial Tablet

The war memorial tablet had been received, and would be duly installed at the clubhouse, Banff, this Spring.

The matter of an expedition to climb Mount Logan, 19,850 feet, the highest known Canadian mountain, had been receiving some attention.

The director also spoke of the meeting of the British Association for the Promotion of Science, to be held at Toronto next year, when, he suggested, the club might hold a camp at Mount Robson, and perhaps be able to entertain such members of the English Alpine Club as came to Toronto to attend the association meetings.

In conclusion, after reviewing some of the individual mountaineering feats of Canadian Alpine Club members and others during the past year, Director Wheeler entered a protest against the Spray Lakes Development Scheme, whereby this lake basin would be converted into a source of supply for a power plant. Such scheme would, in his opinion, completely destroy the beautiful valley, which is a main thoroughfare to many of the most beautiful scenic centres of the Southern Canadian Rockies.

Major Longstaff's brief eulogy of the mountains, and, particularly of the floral beauty which is to be found in the higher altitudes long after Spring has passed in the lower levels, concluded the speech-making part of the programme. Mrs. R. D. McCaw's charmingly sung "Pickaninny Lullaby," and Montague Phillipps' "Wake Up," were among the other attractions of the gathering, Miss Bradshaw playing her accompaniments very systematically.

The affair concluded with an informal social, cards and dancing engaging the attention of those who remained.

OVERCOME BY GAS

CALGARY, March 28.—Overcome by gas in the mine at Cranmore, Alex Blackie died two hours after he was found by fellow workers.

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NO EXPLANATION OF HOSPITAL FIRE

MONTREAL, March 28.—No satisfactory explanation from the Hospital for Incurables of the fire here recently was adduced at the continuance of the inquiry by the Fire Commissioner's court here yesterday. Sister Superior Maria Missel did not testify, but stated that the report circulated as to the death of a patient as a result of the fire was untrue.

SETTLERS FOR AMERICA

NEW YORK, March 28.—The steamer Cameronia, carrying 1,176 British immigrants, the largest number to come on one boat in many years, arrived yesterday. Many of the men are skilled laborers and unmarried.

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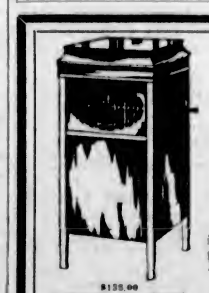

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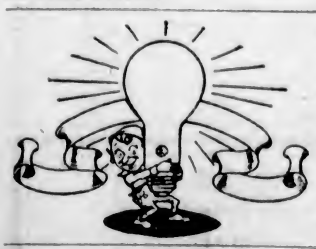

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LAST APPEARANCE OF KIWANIS MINSTRELS

Give Third and Last Performance Here—Net Substantial Sum for Jubilee Hospital Fund

Once more Pantages Theatre rang last night with the mirth and melody of the Kiwanis Minstrel Show, which was presented to the Victoria public for the third and last time. While the house was not a capacity one, as on the two previous occasions, there was a good audience, and as the result of their putting on the show here, the Kiwanis Club will add a substantial sum to its Jubilee Hospital Building Fund, in aid of which the production was staged.

The show was divided into two parts, the first being devoted to the usual circle, with its interlocutor and end men, while the second showed a Southern plantation scene. The first part was the better of the two, there being more snap to it.

As end men, Carl Stocker, Ben Nicholas, Tom Braidwood and Jack Trace were a continual source of mirth in the first part, their badinage being interspersed with vocal solos by themselves, Tom Scott, E. W. Clayton and Walter Maguire.

Tom Moryson filled the role of interlocutor in able fashion in the first part, and in the second, as the Southern colonel, he made a hit with his singing of "Pal o' Mine."

Both old darkey melodies and modern songs were rendered by the whole company, which opened the show by singing "Alouette" before the curtain rose upon the first part.

In the second part the Negroes and mammies were seen in gay apparel, gathered upon Colonel Moryson's plantation. They sang and danced, and later open-air court was held, in which the judge, W. G. Gaunce, deals out jail sentences with a lavish hand, grim humor, and no waste of time. A popular turn was that of Master Albert Acres, whose playing of the "bones" was so much enjoyed that he was recalled several times. There were a number of humorous skits interspersed through the second part, which concluded by the appearance of Cecil Heaton's jazz orchestra upon the stage and its rendition of a number of the latest selections.

Harold M. Diggon, business manager of the show, announced last night that $700 or $800 would be cleared as the result of the three performances.

FAIR WAGE OFFICER

Mr. F. E. Harrison, New Appointee to the Office, Meets Local Labor Leaders

Examination of the local labor situation was made yesterday by Mr. F. E. Harrison, recently appointed Fair Wage Officer for this district, in succession to Mr. D. T. Buiger, who has held the position for the past few years.

Last evening Mr. Harrison met a number of members of the Victoria Trades and Labor Council and informally discussed conditions here from the standpoint of labor. While here he was shown around by Alderman E. S. Woodward, secretary of the Trades and Labor Council. Mr. Woodward suggested to the visitor that he should make Victoria his headquarters, but Mr. Harrison pointed out that this was a matter for the Department of Labor under which he works, and unless Ottawa saw fit to make a change his headquarters would continue to be at Ottawa.

City & District

Firemen's Dance—The Firemen will hold their usual weekly dance this evening, at the Headquarters Hall, and dancing will commence at 8:30 o'clock. Hunt's orchestra will supply the dance music.

Lake Hill Bus Service—On Good Friday the Sunday schedule will obtain on the Lake Hill municipal bus line, except that the last bus will leave the city at 11:10 p.m. On Monday the Saturday time schedule will prevail.

Will Attend Dinner—Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, will attend the dinner to be tendered tonight at Vancouver by the B. C. Products Bureau to the retail clerks of that city. The Minister has accepted the invitation extended to him to be present.

Passion Service—At the Centennial Church tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock the pastor, Rev. Clem Davies, will conduct a special service. The girls' choir of one hundred voices, under the leadership of Professor Redfern Turner, will furnish the musical feature. The pastor will deliver an address on Gethsemane.

Victoria Firms Take Issue—In connection with the recent purchase of an issue of bonds of the town of Chilliwack amounting to $33,000, and bought at a price of 97.77, the purchase was made on a fifty-fifty basis by the firms of Messrs. Gillespie, Hart & Todd and R. P. Clark & Company, of this city, each firm taking one-half of the issue in the face of keen competition from other bond houses. The proceeds of the issue will be used for sewer construction purposes.

Spent Pleasant Evening—The Victoria No. 85 Junior Order of Moose were hosts to the members and their friends of the Loyal Order of Moose and Women of Mooseheart Legion at a very enjoyable social and dance in the K. of P. Hall Tuesday night. Bro. Lester Drysdale, assisted by Mr. G. Sidwell, gave an exhibition of sleight-of-hand and mind reading, both of which were extremely clever. Bro. George Allan rendered "My Little Grey Home in the West," accompanied by Bro. S. Fenton. Bro. G. Allan was also the lucky winner of the tombola prize with No. 283.

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Dancing, then took place until midnight, to the strains of Bro. S. Fenton's Moose orchestra. Great credit is due to the social committee, composed of Bro. T. Bishop (chairman), Bros. Nex, Mitchell, Wilson, Spouse and Bower, whose efforts made the evening an unqualified success.

Cub Pack Concert—The St. John's Wolf Cub Pack, under the leadership of Acting Cubmaster Mrs. Sheldon-Williams, will hold a concert on Friday evening, April 13, at 8 o'clock, at St. John's schoolroom, corner of Quadra and Mason Streets. The programme is particularly complete, and is justly termed an "all-star" entertainment. Miss Mollie Hibben will dance twice, Mrs. Hansen will play a piano solo, and Mrs. F. W. L. Moore will play the violin, the Misses Rosemary Nasmith, Mary McFadden and Jeannette Miller, of the B. C. Dramatic School, will give recitations, and Miss Burston, Miss Helen Starr, Mr. Arthur Gore, Mr. Kenneth Angus and Mr. Ernie Petch will sing. Mrs. George Phillips will play the accompaniments. The proceeds will be devoted to the Cub Pack, which is badly in need of funds at the present time.

FIRST CHIEF OF SCOUTS SPEAKS

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men too old for the ordinary scout classification, would soon take a hold in Canada as it had in England. Some of the finest men in the country were to be found in the ranks, over 50 per cent holding medals for distinguished service overseas.

The speaker read letters of greeting to the Canadian Boy Scouts from the Prince of Wales and the Duke of Connaught, expressing fondest recollection of their closer periods of intimacy with the Canadian Boy Scouts.

Mr. Lemieux, in welcoming the meeting, stated that as long as he had the honor of occupying the position of first commoner, scouts would always be his guests every year. He was firmly convinced that in scouting lay one of the great hopes of the country, for under the inspiration of the movement, boys learned to serve King and country, become sportsmen in the finest sense of the term and to lead a clean life.

Movement Growing

The report of the active committee showed that since the last report scout membership in the Dominion had increased nearly 25 per cent and the number of Wolf Cubs, 81 per cent.

The report of the medal committee showed that in the year 49 awards had been made for gallantry to scouts.

The treasurer's report showed assets at the end of 1922 stood at $66,788, with liabilities at $1,861, leaving a surplus of $64,927.

The electon of officers was as follows: Chief commissioner, Dr. James W. Robertson; honorary secretary, Mr. G. H. Brown; honorary treasurer, Mr. D. M. Finnie.

The silver wolf badge, the highest award in the Boy Scout movement, was presented to F. H. Gisborne and G. E. Fauquir, both of Ottawa.

The Boy Scout publication, Canadian Boy, will be discontinued for the time being for financial reasons.

MEMBERS PRESS RUHR ARGUMENT

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their confidence and make them feel that we were taking an attitude of hostility, our whole power would be dislocated," he declared.

He added that he was convinced that by following the policy he indicated, the French would recognize when the opportunity came for intervention that the British had been perfectly straightforward throughout and they would also be acceptable to Germany as honest negotiators.

"Benevolent Independence"

Mr. Asquith closely pressed the government concerning what he characterized as the remarkable statement made by Baron von Rosenburg, in which the German Foreign Minister suggested the formation of an international commission of investigation. Mr. Asquith wanted to know whether the British Ministers had taken any steps to consult the other powers concerned in regard to such a commission or whether they were still committed to an attitude of "benevolent independence."

Mr. Baldwin ignored this challenge, but Mr. Ronald McNeill, Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs, who spoke later, insisted that Baron von Rosenburg's suggestion was nothing more than the idea put forward some time ago by the United States Secretary of State.

The Chancellor pointed out that Mr. Asquith had quite omitted mention of the important qualification that Germany, as a condition precedent to any move of the kind, insisted upon complete evacuation of the Ruhr, to which, as everybody was aware, the French had not the slightest intention of acceding. Therefore, declared the Under Secretary, he could see no advantage whatever in the German Foreign Minister's

In Touch With Dominions

Sir Edward Grigg said it was impossible to frame a policy for a great empire on grounds of sentiment alone. He asked the government to consult the Dominions upon the whole Ruhr issue and be ready with some declaration on behalf of the Empire within the next few weeks.

Mr. Balwin said the government was in close touch with the Dominions regarding these matters and intended to remain so.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., March 28, 1923.

SYNOPSIS

The barometer is falling over the Pacific Slope, accompanied by abnormally mild weather. The weather is also mild in Alberta and cold in Manitoba.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	41	53
Vancouver	38	56
Kamloops	30	46
Barkerville	28	44
Prince Rupert	36	48
Atlin	13	32
Dawson, Y.T.	18b	18
Calgary, Alta.	32	62
Winnipeg, Man.	20b	4
Portland, Ore.	40	50
San Francisco, Cal.	50	78
Seattle, Wash.	44	64
Penticton	46	57
Grand Forks	32	62
Nelson	30	54
Kaslo	31	51
Cranbrook	28	58
Edmonton, Alta.	18	42
Prince Albert, Sask.	4	34
Medicine Hat		42
Minimum		41
Average		53
Minimum on grass		36

Bright sunshine, 5 hours, 24 minutes.

General state of the weather, fair.

MRS. LORENZ WILL BENEFIT BY TAG DAY

Ladies Asked to Assist With Collection on April 14 Under Convenership of Mrs. Thomas Palmer

Undoubtedly the tag day arranged for April 14 will receive the warmest support from the public, since the proceeds will benefit Mrs. Lorenz, the widow, whose only son and support, met his death a few weeks ago at the hands of an assassin, and whose need is such as to merit the assistance of every sympathetic citizen. Mrs. Thomas Palmer is convening the arrangements and will be very glad of the assistance of those willing to convene corners and generally assist in the appeal. Ladies willing to help in this direction are requested to communicate with any of the following: Mrs. Charles E. Wilson, telephone No. 6895; Mrs. W. Burton, 3648R; Mrs. P. J. Sinnott, 4151R; Mrs. H. Crocker, 5946R; Mrs. A. Gilson, 3744R; Mrs. B. O. Taylor, 2435; Mrs. W. W. Brentzen, at The Colonist, or Mrs. Harry P. Hodges, at The Times, and Mrs. Randall, phone 6961.

WEDDINGS

Truran-Roberts

On Tuesday evening the Rev. Dr. Campbell at Breadalbane, 1185 Fort Street, solemnized the marriage of Mr. Richard T. O. Truran and Mrs. Edith H. Roberts, both of Victoria. The bridegroom was accompanied by Mr. Stephen Kelney, and the bride by Miss Gladys Hall. Mr. and Mrs. Truran will make their home in this city.

JUMP TO SAFETY IN WINNIPEG FIRE

Wife of Owner of Building Injured —Damage Is Estimated at Twelve Thousand

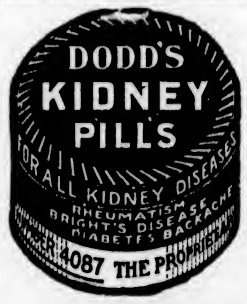
WINNIPEG, March 28.—Fire starting in the basement of a two-story building in the north end of the city endangered the lives of several persons who were forced to jump to safety today. Mrs. A. Magid, wife of the owner of the building, was painfully injured when she jumped from the second story. Damage to the block is estimated at $12,000.

Wedding Shower Alarms Halifax Theatre Audience

HALIFAX, March 28.—The audience at a local theatre last night was somewhat alarmed when Jimmy Goode, blackface comedian with a musical revue, as he stepped out to do his "turn," became the target for a bombardment of old boots and tin cans from the wings. It was announced later that the actor had been married during the afternoon to Winnifred M. Stuart, of Halifax. Goode was born in Charlottetown, P. E. I., and his home is now in Vancouver.

For Seattle Visitor

Mrs. Gideon Hicks entertained a few friends at the tea hour yesterday in honor of Mrs. D. C. Reid, of Seattle, who is visiting in the city for several days as the guest of Mrs. E. H. Griffiths. Following tea there was an informal musicale, among those taking part being Mrs. Reid, who will be well remembered for her activities in local musical circles prior to the removal of the family some years ago to Seattle.



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Western Beauty Peas, 3 ozs. **10¢**
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Golden Bantam Corn, 3 ozs. **10¢**
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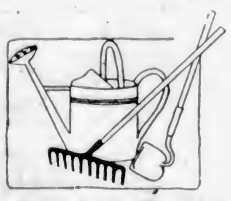

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Easter Hosiery

Fancy Ribbed Lisle Hose
With narrow hemmed elastic tops, legs fashioned at side instead of back, and feet being well reinforced. Comes in colors of brown, white, grey and black. Sizes 8½ to 10, at, pair, **85¢**

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With fashioned legs and seamless, reinforced feet. This is a splendid, good wearing hose, and comes in colors of white, brown and black. Sizes 8½ to 10, at, per pair **$1.00**

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In plain and fancy ribbed effect, a full fashioned hose, with wide hemmed tops, and toes and heels well reinforced. A smart, neat fitting hose for the Spring costume, in lark, grey, white, Rembrandt and black. Sizes 8½ to 10. Price, per pair **$4.00**

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Chocolate Rabbits, each, **15¢** and **3** for ..... **25¢**
Chocolate Egg and Cup ..... **20¢**
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Chocolate Sitting Hens, each ..... **20¢**
Solid Chocolate Cream Eggs, each ..... **10¢** and ..... **15¢**

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Solid Chocolate Eggs, wrapped in silver paper, **4** for ..... **10¢**
Candy Easter Eggs, per lb. ..... **40¢**
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Fancy Filled Baskets at prices ranging from **10¢** to **$2.50**
—Lower Main Floor

Easter Sale of Men's Oxfords and Boots

Though low prices are emphasized in this sale of Oxfords and Boots, the qualities are of the same high standard which you will always find at this store and for which you are accustomed to pay considerably more. The following values are typical of numerous other lines featured during the present sale.

OXFORDS

Men's Patent and Black Kid Oxfords, in Blucher and straight lace style, Goodyear welted soles, suitable for dress or business wear. Sizes 6 to 10 Easter Sale Price **$3.75**

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BOOTS

A special group of Men's Tan and Brown Boots for dress or business wear. Heavy single soles, soft calf uppers. All sizes 6 to 10. Easter Sale Price **$4.75**

Men's Hudsonian Boots in black or brown, up-to-the-minute lasts, featuring the moderate round toe to the latest French square toe. Sizes 6 to 10½. Easter Sale Price **$6.75**
—Main Floor

An Outstanding Value in Men's Spring Suits At $18.00

Twenty-five Suits will be offered today at this special low price. They are smart two and three-button models, cut in the latest styles and tailored from good wearing fancy tweeds in light and dark shades. They are carefully and expertly made, lined with good strong fabrics. Do not miss this opportunity to buy your Easter suit at a big saving. Sizes 35 to 40. Exceptional value. Today, special **$18.00**

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From the standpoint of service these shirts are all that good shirts should be—that is, they fit comfortably, are well proportioned, and made from good percales that will stand repeated visits to the laundry without losing their original newness. Sizes 14½ to 19. Splendid value at **$1.45**
—Main Floor

Boost Victoria

Prosperity is at our threshold. Let the spirit of optimism open wide the doors and the fullest measure of prosperity will be ours.

New Silk Gloves

Novelty Silk Gloves, with fancy cuffs, stitched in contrasting colors, sacque wrist and embroidered points; a good wearing, heavy quality silk, with double finger tips, in mode embroidered with brown, brown with mode, grey with navy and navy with gold. Sizes 6 to 7½, at, per pair **$2.00**

Silk Gloves, with short gauntlet, strap wrist and one dome fastener, silk embroidered points and double finger tips; in colors of mode, mastic, navy, white and beaver. Sizes 6 to 7½, at, per pair **$1.75**

Silk Gloves, with self points and two dome fasteners, made of heavy quality silk, with double finger tips; shown in colors of brown, pongee, tan, beaver, mastic, mode, grey, navy, white and black. Sizes 5½ to 7½, at, per pair **$1.50**
—Main Floor

Drug Specials

Pebeco Tooth Paste, 50c value ..... **38¢**
Listerine, 35c value ..... **27¢**
Cutex Cuticle Remover, 35c value, **28¢**
Murine Eye Water, 60c value ..... **47¢**
A.B.S. & C. Tablets, 100 in bottle, **23¢**
Minty's Toilet Powder, 50c jar ..... **35¢**
Special Shaving Cream, 40c value ..... **27¢**
Whalebone Hair Brush, $1.50 value, for **$1.18**

Social Events

Back From East

Mrs. C. C. Cochrane, of Roberts Point, has returned home via Seattle after spending the past six months in the East, part of the time with her mother, Mrs. Anderson, of Halifax, and part with her daughter, Miss Margaret Cochrane, who is attending the Wolfville Academy, at Wolfville, N.S., and also with her son, Mr. Charlie Cochrane, who is a student at McGill University, Montreal. Mrs. Cochrane was accompanied as far as Seattle by her cousin, Mrs. Norris, of Nova Scotia, who will later visit friends and relatives in Victoria.

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Professor of Engineering

Professor William Duckering, professor of engineering at the University of Iowa, has been appointed to the position of professor of engineering at the University of British Columbia. He will take up his duties at the opening of the Fall season.

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Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Binns announce the engagement of their daughter, Marjorie, to Mr. George A. Corry, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Corry. The wedding will take place at Christ Church Cathedral on Tuesday, April 3, at 2 o'clock.

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Leaving for Montreal

Mrs. Troup, Mrs. Harry Bullen, Miss Mabel H. Eberts, of Victoria, and Mrs. D. P. Marpole, of Vancouver, are leaving today for Montreal, and will travel in Mr. Grant Hall's private car across the Dominion.

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Winnipeg Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Huxley, of Winnipeg, have arrived from California and are staying at the Oak Bay Hotel. They will later visit Vancouver, where they will spend the remainder of the season.

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Honors Bride-Elect

Miss M. Binns, whose marriage to Mr. G. Corry will take place at the Cathedral on Tuesday next at 2:30 p.m., was tendered a miscellaneous shower by a number of friends at the home of Mrs. H. L. Smith last Saturday evening.

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Is Convalescing

The many friends of Mr. George Gardiner will be pleased to hear that he is progressing favorably after the serious operation which he underwent at the St. Joseph's Hospital.

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Return Home

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Koop left yesterday afternoon for Vancouver, where they will spend the coming five days, en route to their home in Summerland.

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To Visit Seattle

Mr. Rawn Brinkley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brinkley, who is attending the Victoria Military School, will leave today for his home in Seattle for the Easter Holidays.

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Visits Seattle

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor left on Tuesday afternoon for Seattle, and expects to return tomorrow to Government House

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Returns From East

Mr. A. E. Cleveland, who has been in the East on departmental business, has returned to the city.

NANAIMO

Church Concert

A social event of much interest was the concert held under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of St. Andrew's Church, Nanaimo, upwards of one hundred guests being present. The hall was gaily decorated for the occasion, bowls of curly lilies and pussy willows gracing the platform. An excellent programme was rendered and enjoyed by all. The following artists contributed: Mr. and Mrs. Ould, Mrs. Young, Mr. Whyte, Mrs. Greenshields, Mr. Lister, Mrs. Trawford, Mr. Buckler and Miss Bruce. Refreshments were served under the joint convenership of Mesdames Ritchie and Doran, with a committee assisting, while the president and general committee looked after the other arrangements. In a guessing contest, Miss Bruce was the winner of a box of chocolates.

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Whist Prize Winners

The prize winners in connection with the Orange Lodge whist drive held at Nanaimo, were: Ladies, first, Mrs. Dobinson; second, Mrs. Moore; third, Mrs. Steele. Gentlemen, first, Mr. W. R. Wilson; second, Mr. Corbett; third, Mr. John Neill.

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Victoria Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pendray, of Victoria, accompanied by Mr. R. L. Shaw, of Victoria, paid a visit to Nanaimo Tuesday, and while there were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. S. Duncan, Fitzwilliam Street.

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Meeting Old Friends

Mr. Joseph Curry, of Victoria, a former well-known Nanaimoite, was in the city Tuesday renewing old acquaintances. Mr. Curry left for Vancouver on a visit to relatives.

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Returns to Vancouver

Miss Helen Clubb, of Vancouver, who has been the guest of Mrs. Arthur Good, the Crescent, Nanaimo, has returned to her home.

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Returns Home

Mrs. Fred G. Booth, of Vancouver, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Booth, of Nanaimo, for the past week, returned home yesterday.

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Back From Victoria

Mrs. J. P. R. McGill, Selby Street, Nanaimo, has returned home from a visit of several days to her daughter, Miss Constance, of Victoria.

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Business Trip

Mr. H. Maynard, of Victoria, was in Nanaimo yesterday on business.

CHEMAINUS

Motored to Victoria

Mr. J. Rufus Smith, Mr. Charles Smith and Mrs. A. Howe motored to Victoria last Friday, and returned on Sunday. While in the Capital City they were the guests of their sister, Mrs. T. Gillingham, Prior Street.

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Club Holds Dance

A very jolly dance took place in the Recreation Hall last Friday night, which was given by the directors of the Recreation Club. About 50 persons were present.

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Guest in Town

Mr. Humbird, president of the Victoria Lumbering and Manufacturing Company, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Palmer.

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Back From Vancouver

Mr. A. E. Collyar has returned from a very pleasant visit spent in Vancouver.

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Visited Duncan

Mrs. R. Henry Smiley and her daughter, Mrs. Randall Jarrett, visited Duncan during the week. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Powel.

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Toronto Visitor

Mr. Ross Archer, of Toronto, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Randall Jarrett.

CAMPBELL RIVER

Pleased With District

H. Frank Bird, of Vancouver, managing editor of The Western Canadian Motorist, The B.C. Automobile Owners' Annual, and also Provincial secretary of the Good Roads League of British Columbia, was a visitor to Campbell River on Friday last, and, with his brother, R. C. Bird, also paid a visit to Forbes Landing. Mr. Bird expressed himself as charmed with the motor trip up the Island to Campbell River.

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Receiving Congratulations

David Vanstone, who is operating the large logging camp at Elk Bay, and whose home is at the mouth of Campbell River, is spending a few days in town. Mrs. Vanstone is returning home from the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Vanstone are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

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Record at Fishing

Mr. E. Marshall, not satisfied with being the champion drummer in the district, has already qualified for the semi-finals as a great trout-enticer, landing a spectacular string all over a foot long, which he most generously donated to his friends.

First Wild Lilies

The honor of finding the first wild lilies at Campbell River this Spring belongs to Miss Meriah Glanville, who picked some last Friday.

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Glad to Be Home

Mrs. Sid Hage and family returned to their home at Campbell River on Wednesday last after a visit to friends in Seattle.

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Teacher Well Again

Mr. Arthur Holm has recovered from his attack of cold, and is back at school again.

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Is Again About

Her friends will be glad to hear that Mrs. Palmer is once more out and about again.

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Vancouver Visitor

Miss L. Hodgkinson, of Vancouver, who is visiting Mrs. Glendenning at the "Cove," was a visitor to the "River" on Sunday.

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Visited Courtenay

Mr. and Mrs. Leander and family motored to Courtenay on Monday.

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Victoria Visitor

Mr. J. P. Ball, of Victoria, was a visitor to Campbell River on Monday.

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Spent Few Days

Dr. McLellan, of Vancouver, spent a few days at Campbell River this week.

CUMBERLAND

Happily Wedded

Miss Mary Millar, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Millar, was married on Saturday at Courtenay by the Rev. W. T. Beatty, to Mr. Robert Wallace, both of this city, and they have taken up their residence at Comox Lake.

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Leaves for England

Mrs. J. Vaughn, accompanied by her little son, Wyntour, leaves on Thursday for South Wales, England, on a three months' visit to her parents.

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Goes on Holidays

Miss A. Decker, of Vancouver, arrived on Sunday to take the place of Miss Fowler, of the nursing staff of the Cumberland General Hospital, who is leaving on a month's holiday.

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Unfortunate Error

Mrs. J. Denholme, of Royston, on Tuesday accidentally took mercury in mistake for pills. She was rushed to the Cumberland General Hospital, and is doing as well as can be expected.

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Returns to Headquarters

Mrs. H. McKenzie and two daughters left on Sunday for Headquarters, after spending the past two months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Banks.

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Leave for California

Miss T. Damonte, Misses M. and E. Mussato, Mrs. Marchetti and her two children and Mrs. Peretti and two children left on Wednesday for San Francisco, California.

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Motors From Nanaimo

Miss Gilchrist, of Vancouver, formerly of the local hospital nursing staff, arrived by motor with her brother from Nanaimo on Saturday.

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Visits Parents

Mrs. T. Bournes, of Vancouver, arrived on Friday on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Stevens.

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Arrives From Victoria

Mrs. T. Walton, of Victoria, arrived in town on Thursday on a visit to her son, Mr. J. Walton.

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Is Convalescent

Miss Violet Graham has recovered from her recent operation and left the hospital on Tuesday.

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Visitors From Campbell River

Mr. and Mrs. W. Crawford, of Campbell River, were in town on Monday on a short visit.

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Spend Week With Friends

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hawthorne, of Union Bay, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. Halliday.

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Tarries at the Capital

Miss M. Tarbell is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Bryden, in Victoria.

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Arrives From Vancouver

Dr. McLennon, of Vancouver, was in town on Monday.

COLWOOD

Enjoyable Dance

One of the most enjoyable dances of the season was held in Colwood Hall on Tuesday night, when 90 people danced to the alluring strains of the three-piece orchestra—Gerald Schofield (piano), Albert White (violin), and John Goodall (drums). Excellent refreshments were served by the committee of the Women's Institute, and the profits helped the fund for the hall piano. A similar dance will be held on Tuesday, April 10.

ENJOYED SILVER TEA

Esquimalt Branch of Guild for Sailors Spent Pleasant Afternoon With Varied Programme

The silver tea and guessing contest given under the auspices of the Esquimalt branch of the Ladies' Guild for Sailors, yesterday, was opened by Mrs. A. Thomson, president of the guild of Victoria in a short speech and was a most enjoyable function throughout. It was held in the large assembly hall at the club, the walls of which had been decorated with bunting and the tables with a beautiful collection of Spring flowers and pussy willows. Mrs. Gaiger was general convener, and Mrs. Morrison and Mrs. Gray were in charge of the guessing contests. The prize in the first contest, a pretty cushion, was won by Mrs. Thomson, and the second, a potted plant, after a draw by Mrs. Wilders and Mrs. Captain Moore, was won by the former. Mrs. Ranns and Mrs. Spaven supervised the serving of refreshments.

The following enjoyable programme was given: Vocal selections, Mrs. Morley; pianoforte solo, Master Jimmie Mossop; vocal solo, and encore, little Miss K. Gaiger; elocutionary numbers, Mrs. Rogers; pianoforte selection, Miss May Phillips; and Miss Thain, who also was accompanist. Mrs. Mossop read the tea cups.

The net proceeds amounted to over $15 which goes to swell the funds of the guild which is a branch of the British and Foreign Seaman's Society.

Milton became blind in the year 1652 from arduous midnight studies pursued from 12 years of age.

The Eternal Eve

By May Christie

Timely Intervention

When Eve's cry rang through the little cabin the groping fingers gave one merciless tug at the necklace round her throat, while at the same time a hand was thrust across her lips.

She struggled, calling out again.

Another violent tug!

The necklace did not yield.

And then her cabin door swung open, and someone dashed into the room just as the thief was making his exit. There was a short struggle, the sound of a heavy footfall, a slamming of the door, and the echo of footsteps running down the corridor.

"Jehosophat! The rascal's got away!" Eve recognized the slightly nasal tones of Cornelius T. Van Buren coming from the region of the floor.

Thrusting out a hand, she snatched a silk wrap from its hook beside her berth, flung it about her shoulders, and switched on the light.

"My — my — pearls—someone was trying to steal them!" she faltered. "I—I thought they were going to throttle me!"

Van Buren rose rather swiftly to his feet.

He stared rather curiously at the pale, pretty face, with its wide frightened eyes and tumbled hair.

"I heard you call—I came at once." His gaze rested on the string of lustrous pearls.

"Are—aren't you going after him?" Eve's hand was on the bell.

"Stop—wait a minute!" The queer look on the American's face deepened. "If it hadn't been that I know him through and through, I could have sworn the identity of the rascal was——"

"Yes? Who was it?" queried Eve breathlessly.

"Roscommon," came the reluctant answer.

Then he added:

"I only had a glimpse of him as he was making for the door! But yet I could have sworn——"

Footsteps sounded in the corridor. There was a sharp knock and Wilfred Roscommon himself stood in the doorway, staring in amazement first at Van Buren and then at Eve. He was fully dressed.

"So it—it was you, after all!" The expression on Van Buren's face was quite unfathomable. "Roscommon, have you gone crazy?"

Wilfred's face was very stern.

"No—but it seems as though other people have!" White to the lips he faced Van Buren. "What, in heaven's name, are you doing here?"

"But—you were here yourself only a minute ago!" Van Buren stared at him grimly. "I saw you——"

Eve drew her silken wrap closer round her shoulders.

She tried to speak, but broke down, sobbing.

"For God's sake, don't do that!" Wilfred turned sternly to her.

Van Buren thrust him aside.

"This is no place for argument," he said firmly "Someone"—his eyes met Wilfred's—"someone forced his way into her cabin and tried to steal her pearls."

"Then why don't you rouse the whole ship and have the thief arrested?" Wilfred cried. "What on earth are you stopping here for?"

"We can talk about that later," came the stern reply. "In the meantime I want to have a look at the lock." Van Buren bent down toward the door. "Yes, very cleverly wrenched away—just as I thought."

Again he stared at Wilfred.

"Let's get out of here," said the latter abruptly. He turned toward Eve. "Don't be alarmed"—his voice was gentler—"I'll watch all night outside in the passage."

"Please—please look after my—my pearls." Eve hastily unclasped them from her throat. She held them out toward Wilfred.

"Mr. Van Buren will see to that!" A strange look was on Wilfred's face. "No doubt they'll be safer with him than with myself." Then he added gruffly:

"Since you seem so astounded at my presence here, I may as well tell you that I was having a turn on deck when I heard a noise in this room — the sound of voices — and found you here!" His expression as he eyed Van Buren was peculiar. "I'll send the stewardess along to Miss Ames—we'd better go."

"I—I'm all right." Eve faltered, thoroughly unstrung.

"I'll keep watch in the passage for the rest of the night," Wilfred assured her.

Then the two men closed the door, and Eve was left alone.

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Eve was walking on the first class deck the following morning, wondering whether or not it was her duty to inform the Captain of last night's proceedings, when Cornelius T. Van Buren appeared from a companionway and joined her.

She took him into consultation.

"I wouldn't say anything about it, were I you." His eyes were fixed on the distant horizon. There was a worried look in them. "I'd let the matter drop."

"But—you seemed to think that Capt. Roscommon——" She broke off, tears in her eyes.

"I'll admit I was perplexed at first." The millionaire stopped in his walk to light a cigar. "I could have sworn that it was he! And yet—no, I can't believe it!"

They had reached the railing which marked off the first class from the second class deck. They stopped there for a moment looking over.

"Why, there's someone I know!" Eve nodded vigorously to a red haired woman who was reclining on a deck chair.

She lifted the dividing rope at one end of the railing and passed through.

As Eve approached the red haired woman the latter rose from her chair and stared at Eve with a look that was almost fearful.

Eve held out her hand in cordial greeting and addressed the woman as Mrs. Rosslyn.

"I—I'm Mrs. Smith—I mean, I'm travelling under my maiden name." The red haired woman was staring anxiously at Eve. "You—you won't tell anyone."

"Of course not," Eve smiled kindly at her.

"Are you alone?" she added.

The red haired woman hesitated.

"No—my father's with me." She turned her head away from Eve and looked intently along the second class deck as though expecting someone.

"Here comes my father now!" she said, and added:

"Don't let me keep you from your friend!"

The would-be benefactress felt a little hurt at this implied dismissal.

"Good-bye — good luck!" Eve nodded brightly. "Remember if I can do anything for you, just send a line or message over to me—and I'll come!"

She lifted the dividing rope and crossed to the other deck.

Foremost among Eve's admirers—and in his own quiet way, perhaps, the most persistent—was Cornelius T. Van Buren, the multi-millionaire from Pittsburgh.

If Eve had only known the agonies of jealousy that Wilfred suffered, she might have ceased to single out Van Buren as her own particular satellite.

Unfortunately, however, she did not know!

And so the dangerous flirtation sped on.

There was something about this big, shrewd, kindly American that fascinated Eve.

Although belonging to one of the "first families in America," he had, as a boy, been very poor. In order to help his widowed mother he had even sold newspapers on the street.

Later, he had worked his way through a Western college as a "waiter" serving the other students. He was proud of it.

The fussy little tugs that roped themselves to the big liner amused Eve greatly.

"They somehow remind me of Mary," she told herself.

Above everything hung an air of vast good humor.

"I'm sure I shall love the States!" thought Eve.

She was besieged by fellow-passengers with address books, autograph albums, birthday books and the like. It was only now, at the end of the voyage, that she began to realize her own exceeding popularity.

"There now, isn't that magnificent?" Van Buren waved his hand with true American pride toward a mass of great skyscrapers which towered up to the very heavens, like Alpine cliffs.

"It's rather overpowering!" was Eve's comment, her gaze wandering over the cloud-reaching edifices. A magnificent grandeur hung about them as they towered there, symbols of man's industry!

And it seemed to Eve as though there were miles of docks and piers and anchorages, interspersed by a thousand craft of every shape and size.

She looked around for John and Mary.

"The immigration authorities have come on board—your friends have gone down to the saloon to pass before them—I guess we'd better get down there too, and get the bothersome business over!"

There they met Wilfred at the companion way.

Long queues were passing before the immigration authorities and undergoing searching questions. Eve noticed the red haired woman, and the man she said was her father, awaiting their turn. The father was old and bent and rather silent.

And then a curious thing occurred! Some plain clothes officials who had just come aboard swung up to the old man and said something. One of them wrenched the silvery beard from the old man's chin and the grey wig from his head! And, presto, there stood William Rosslyn, fully revealed.

Van Buren swung around and stared at him.

"Say, that's the chap who tried to steal your pearls!" He pointed to William Rosslyn. He turned to Wilfred.

Wilfred was smiling rather grimly. He had suffered painfully through this man.

"They've got him fixed," he said. "He won't escape again!"

(To Be Continued)

ASKS FOR SCHOOL

Delegation From Pender Island Waits Upon Minister of Education and Proffers Request

A delegation headed by Mr. M. B. Jackson, K.C., Liberal member for the Provincial riding of The Islands, and composed of Mrs. Grimmer, Mrs. Craddock, Mr. J. S. Stigings and Mr. G. Logan, from Port Washington, Pender Island, waited upon Hon. J. D. MacLean, Minister of Education, yesterday morning and urged that a public school be erected at that point. The plea was supported by the argument that at present the two-roomed school, giving accommodation to thirty-six children, is located at Hope Bay, which is three miles from Port Washington.

Hon. Dr. MacLean promised that a school inspector would be detailed to look over the situation and report.

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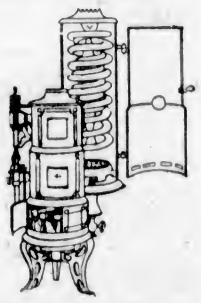

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ROSSINI'S INDOLENCE

Rossini was perhaps the laziest of all musicians whose names are famous. He rarely arose before midday, and often when he woke and the weather was dull or the muse did not inspire him to write, he would turn over again, and after directions to his servant to be called the following day would sleep blissfully for another twenty-four hours.

He did most of his writing in bed, and before retiring for the night he would place music paper and a pencil near his bedside so that he would not have to move in order to have the means at hand for writing down the musical thoughts which came.

It is told of him that after writing part of a beautiful duet for an opera the sheet on which he was writing fell to the floor, and, caught by a puff of wind, was soon beyond his reach. He was too lazy to get up and get it and thereby disturb the nicely arranged bedclothes, so he set to work and wrote another melody, as he could not remember how the first one went. Thus in one of his operas there are two duets for one situation and singers can choose the one which pleases them best.

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Y.M.C.A. ARRANGES EASTER PROGRAMME

Hike, Bicycle Ride, Week-End Camp, Game Tournament and Treasure Hunt Special Features

A special Easter holiday programme has been arranged by the Boys' Division of the Y.M.C.A. It commences tomorrow and will continue right through until Saturday of next week.

Both indoor and outdoor events are on the schedule prepared. Tomorrow morning, at 9:30 o'clock, the employed boys will go on a hike. There will be a bean feed that night for this section, and the Bible study tests will not be held until the following Friday.

On Saturday morning the Junior A schoolboys will have their athletics, including a target throw.

An Easter week-end camp will be held at Beaver Lake from Friday until Monday. The pavilion, which was erected there for the annual Y.M.C.A. boys' camp, will be used by the week-end party, which will be able to enjoy a roaring fire in the big stone fireplace there. Some, at least, of the campers will undoubtedly go swimming in the lake. The assistant boys' work secretary will supervise the camp. Mr. Harold C. Cross, the boys' work secretary, will go out with the boys and be with them during part of their stay. All those interested in the Easter camp are asked to meet in Mr. Cross' office at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon. Those going out will meet at the Y.M.C.A. Building at 9:30 o'clock on Friday morning. The campers will attend church at Royal Oak on Sunday.

On Monday, at 9:30 a.m., a bicycle trip will be commenced from the city to the Dominion Government Experimental Farm and the Beaver Lake camp.

A game tournament, consisting of billiards and ping-pong will be played on Tuesday afternoon, commencing at 2 o'clock.

On Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, there will be a treasure hunt, and on Thursday afternoon at the same hour a "Learn Something" hike will commence to a local industrial plant.

At 7 o'clock on Friday evening of next week the Bible study tests will take place.

The final event will be the "Prep" hike to Portage Inlet on Saturday morning of next week, commencing at 11 o'clock. The boys are asked to take along a lunch and two car tickets.

Further particulars of the Easter programme may be obtained by telephoning 5275, or inquiring at the Y.M.C.A. office.

GOOD FRIDAY CONCERT

Excellent Musical Programme Arranged for Emmanuel Baptist Church Tomorrow Evening

A splendid array of talent will assist the choir in the concert to be given at the Emmanuel Baptist Church, Fernwood Road, on Good Friday evening. The vocalists include Miss May Mason, a rich contralto, who on this occasion sings "Hosanna," by Davis; Miss Phillips, a newcomer with a splendid voice, will sing "Calvary"; Miss J. Nixon will sing the well-known favorite from the Messiah, "He Was Despised." Mr. Robert Jones and Mr. Rowley will be the male vocalists, the former singing "Out of the Deep," by Marks, and the latter "Lord God of Abraham," from the Elijah.

The instrumentalists include Mrs. F. W. Moore, the noted violinist, who plays "Canzona," by Bohm, and Mr. G. H. E. Green, the well-known cornetist.

Of the young pianists who are beginning to take their place in the musical life of the city may be included Miss Violet Parfitt, her contribution to the programme being Mendelssohn's Prelude and Fugue in E Minor.

The choir numbers promise to be equal to anything previously attempted by this well-known choir and will include anthems by Goss and Sullivan; "God So Loved the World," from the Crucifixion; "Lift Thine Eyes," from Elijah, for the ladies' chorus, and choruses from the Messiah.

CENTENNIAL FORUM TO HEAR SEATTLE SERVICE

Rev. Clem Davies Has Arranged Unique Item for Sunday Afternoon Meeting Here

Something unique in church services will be experienced by those attending the Forum meeting on Sunday afternoon at the Centennial Methodist Church, according to announcement made yesterday by Rev. Dr. Clem Davies, pastor of the church.

The Centennial radio system to be installed will receive from Seattle an address to be delivered by Rev. Dr. Matthews, of that city, as well as a rendition there by Dr. Matthews' choir of one hundred voices of Dubois' "Seven Last Words."

Rev. Mr. Davies received word yesterday from Rev. Dr. Matthews to the above effect.

Those who attend the Forum meeting on Sunday in the Centennial Church are therefore assured of a novel and interesting treat.

MOTHERS' UNION MEETS

Shawnigan Lake and Cobble Hill Branch Pass Resolutions

A meeting of the Shawnigan Lake and Cobble Hill branch of the Mothers' Union was held at Shawnigan Lake on Sunday, March 25, for the purpose of enrolling new members and other business. Two important resolutions were passed unaminously requesting the Government to have the laws to which they each refer more strictly enforced, copies of the resolutions to be sent to the proper quarters. Other useful suggestions were made and the meeting adjourned after tea, at which Mrs. Musgrave, the hon. secretary, was hostess.

The next quarterly meeting will be held in June at Strathcona Lodge by kind invitation of Mrs. Wylde.

Resolution 1. Proposed by Mrs. Crewe, seconded by Mrs. Wylde "That the censorship of films be more strictly enforced and that children under 16 should not be admitted to view moving pictures unless approved by parents or guardians."

Resolution 2. Proposed by Mrs. Eardley-Wilmot, seconded by Mrs. Carter "That the law regarding the carrying of firearms be more strictly enforced and that other punishments be inflicted instead of fines."

Information as to the work of the Mothers' Union can be obtained from either the president, Mrs. C. R. Barry, Box 26 Shawnigan Lake, B. C., or the hon. secretary, Mrs. Musgrave, Cedar Creek Shawnigan Lake, B. C.

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A Jewish mother in Toronto writes: "That her baby was pale, thin and did not gain in weight for several weeks. After trying many foods, her doctor prescribed Borden's Eagle Brand Milk and her baby gained over one-half pound the first week, and slept well for the first time in over a month."

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FROLIC MANAGER OPENS QUARTERS

Mr. Len Marsh Will Direct May Celebration Here—Drive for Funds Will Be Undertaken Soon

Mr. Len Marsh, who has been appointed managing director of Victoria's May-time Frolic, yesterday established himself in headquarters at Room 38, Arcade Building, where preliminary arrangements for the festival will be planned and executed.

In a few days definite plans for a drive for funds will be undertaken. The city's grant towards the expenses of the May celebration being less this year than usual, the committee will have to depend to a greater extent than in the past on the support of business houses and the general public. It is expected that the affair will be self-sustaining, and any profits that may be made will be turned over to charitable organizations named by the donor.

A home-made midway is one of the features that have been approved by the committee. This will make it unnecessary to engage any outside entertainment concessionaires and will make it possible to keep all the money at home. A circus has been suggested, and school drills and demonstrations will be organized.

Committees will shortly be appointed as follows: Citizens', executive, initiative, finance, publicity, community group, queen, children's, naval, military, decorative, parades, circus, floral, music, pageant, sport, dance, library, prize, construction, water sports and features, invitations, costume, arts and crafts, card and listing, transportation, moving picture, fireworks, industrial contest, catering and waterfront.

THREE HOME NURSING PROVINCIAL CLASSES

St. John Ambulance Association of Canada Will Institute Training Schools in Outlying Sections

Home nursing classes under the auspices of the St. John Ambulance Association will be inaugurated in this Province in outlying sections, according to information which yesterday reached Mr. H. W. Edwardson, honorary secretary of the Provincial branch of the Association.

Three such classes will be started to meet the urgent need of those sections in the far-away portions of the Province. Just where these will be located will be left to the judgment of the Provincial branch, it is stated, but to a great extent it will depend upon the amount of grant made by the headquarters of the Association.

Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines, president of the Provincial branch, is at present in Ottawa, and he can be depended upon to use his utmost endeavors to secure as large a grant as possible.

In view of the fact that the home nursing classes have been decided upon for this Province, Mr. Edwardson stated that he hoped that those in the outlying sections who are interested in the work and are desirous of having a class instituted in their district would get into communication with him, to the end that the Provincial executive may be in possession of all facts pertaining to the needs of the various districts and ascertain some idea of the financial outlay that would be necessary.

MRS. BUDGE SO WEAK COULD HARDLY STAND

Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health

River Desert, Que.—"I used to have a severe pain in my side. I would be unable to walk fast and could not stand for any length of time to do my ironing or washing, but I would have to lie down to get relief from the pain. I had this for about two years, then a friend told me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as she had had good results. I certainly got good results from it, too, as the last time I had a sore side was last May and I have not had it since. I am also glad of having good nursing for my baby, and I think it is your medicine that helped me in this way."—Mrs. L. V. Budge, River Desert, Quebec.

If you are suffering from the tortures of a displacement, irregularities, backache, headaches, nervousness, or a pain in the side, you should lose no time in trying Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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A Special Half-Price Sale of

Easter Blouses

Sale Prices Are $4.50 to $9.75

This event will be of double importance because you will require at least one new blouse for Easter; you have here the opportunity to select it and pay only half the regular price. Only the most practical kinds of blouses are offered in this half price sale, there are models of excellent qualities of georgette crepe, crepe de Chine and radium lace in shades of sand, navy, brown, grey, taupe and beige. Reduced to half price—**$4.50** to **$9.75**.

Smart Sports Skirts for the Holiday, $5.75

The skirts we display at the above price are models of the very newest styles and fabrics. The assortment is large, offering many to choose from, many styles, many patterns; plain tailored and pleated effects. There are stripes and plaids in brown tones, lovat mixtures and a great variety of combination effects—**$5.75** each.

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Holiday Sweaters

One Model at **$5.95** is in slip-on style with V-neck, long sleeves and narrow sash, is of silk and wool, in shades of white, mauve, turquoise, blue, gold, grey and black.

Another at **$6.75** is of silk and wool, in tuxedo style with long sleeves, patch pockets and narrow belt; is shown in shades of navy and grey, black and grey, white and mauve, rose and turquoise.

At **$8.75**—An Iceland Wool Sweater in slip-on style, has long sleeves, V-neck and wide belt; shown in mauve, amethyst, sea green and saxe.

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Bramley Collar and Cuff Sets of Flannel, with silk braid binding or Paisley trimming—**$1.25** to **$2.25**.

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Gauntlet Gloves of fine quality suede and kid; made with contrasting points or in plain styles —**$4.95, $5.00** and **$5.50** a pair.

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GOOD FRIDAY MUSIC AT ST. ANDREW'S

"Seven Words of Christ," Cantata, Will Be Sung at Roman Catholic Cathedral Tomorrow

"The Three Hours' Agony," a service commemorating the seven hours' agony on the cross, will be observed tomorrow, Good Friday, at St. Andrew's Cathedral, from 12 to 3 o'clock. This service was orginated by Father Alphonsus Messia, in the first years of the eighteenth century, at Lima, Peru. Spreading rapidly throughout Spanish America the observance soon passed over to Europe, and today is practised throughout the world. It consists of a series of short discussions on the Seven Words of Christ, interspersed with appropriate music and prayers. The music at St. Andrew's Cathedral tomorrow will comprise the famous cantata, "The Seven Words of Christ," composed by Theodore Dubois especially for this service. The full choir and assisting artists will render this, the soloists to be: Miss Eva Hart, Mr. J. Q. Gillan, Mr. James Hunter, Mr. Frank Sehl and Major L. Bullock-Webster. Father Woods will conduct, and Miss Margaret McKay will be at the organ.

The preacher will be Rev. J. S. Silver, of Esquimalt.

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THE SPORTING WORLD

Odds Slightly Favor The Ottawa Senators For World's Honors

Easterners Have But Even Six Men to Enter Hockey Series Against the Eskimos From Edmonton, Who Are Well Equipped With Substitutes—First Game Tonight

VANCOUVER, March 28.—The opening of the 1923 world's series hockey in this city tomorrow night will bring together Edmonton Eskimos, Western Canada League champions, and Ottawa Senators, champions of the National Hockey League, and victors over the Pacific Coast champions in the semi-finals. Although Ottawa is reduced through accidents to six men and no substitutes, it is generally conceded here today that the teams are evenly matched, and either may be installed as favorites for the Stanley Cup winners when the first game is over.

The Line-Up

The line-up for Ottawa will be Benedict, Nighbors, G. Boucher, Clancy, Corbett Denneny and Broadbent, and for Edmonton, Winkler, Trapp, Simpson, Gagne, Arbour and Keats, with Morrison, Campbell, Shepherd, Brandow, Bostrum and Newell for substitutes.

The series will be played without Gerard, captain of the Senators, and one of their most formidable players.

Injuries sustained in the second last game of the semi-finals and aggravated by another fall in the last game on Monday, makes it imperative that Gerard keep out of hockey for the rest of the season.

The sensational form displayed by young Clancy, a recent acquisition to the Ottawa team, instals him as a worthy understudy, however.

Thursday's game will be under Western rules; Saturday's, according to those of the East.

Chiefly on their showing against Vancouver in the last two games, Ottawa tonight has a slight edge on the betting.

ESQUIMALT WINS

The final of the schools' senior soccer knockout competition was played at the Royal Athletic Park yesterday afternoon between Central and Esquimalt, and resulted in a victory for the latter by two goals to nil. Both goals were scored in the first half of the game, Wagland and Ivan Sweeney making the shots. In the second half the game was fairly even.

This makes the second school soccer championship that the Esquimalt boys have won this year, and they have been through the two series without the loss of a game. The winning team was as follows: Banks; K. Cochrane and I. Sweeney; W. Jankins, H. Watson and W. White; F. Holder, F. Scafe, B. Wagland, K. Thompson and M. Williams.

PROSPECTS GOOD FOR SENIOR BALL

FULL REPRESENTATION AT THE ANNUAL MEETING

Teams Have Until Tuesday Next to Apply for Franchise—Officers to Be Elected That Day

The annual meeting of the Victoria Senior Amateur Baseball Association was held last evening in President Dave Macfarlane's office. A full representation of the various clubs was present, and considerable detail business, mostly covering last season's activities, was disposed of.

Owing to the fact that two of last year's clubs have definitely decided not to enter teams in this year's race, it was decided to call another meeting on April 3, when applications for franchises in the league will be accepted and officers for the ensuing year elected.

Any parties considering entering a team are asked to have their applications in the hands of the secretary, Mr. J. H. Stevens, 600 Belmont House, on or before April 3, when it is hoped a schedule will be drawn up and a start made for the year.

From present indications it looks as though the Senior League will enjoy another banner year, and besides, as the locals hold the British Columbia championship, all teams will be in the race from the start, as each club will be fighting for the honor of defending the Provincial Cup.

LACROSSE MEETING

A meeting of the V.I.A.A. Lacrosse Club will be held on Tuesday at 8 o'clock, at the Metropolis. Any new members who are anxious to get in the game are asked to attend.

MANAGING WILSON IS LUCRATIVE JOB

Frank Marlow Pays $50,000 for Five Year Contract to Handle Middleweight's Affairs

NEW YORK, March 27.—Frank Marlow, sportsman and horseman, it was reported tonight, has paid $50,000 for a five-year contract as manager of Johnny Wilson, of Boston, acknowledged middleweight champion of the world everywhere except in New York State, where he has been dethroned.

Marlow was said to have paid that sum to Marty Killilea, Wilson's former manager, who recently announced his retirement from pugilistic affairs because he disliked the manner in which the New York State Boxing Commission conducted the sport.

So far as known, this is the highest price ever paid a boxer's manager for control of a fighter, and is one of the few such incidents recorded.

SARAZEN HANKERING FOR TRIP TO EUROPE

NEW YORK, March 27.—Gene Sarazen, national golf champion, will be here next Saturday to try to convince directors of the Briar Cliff Lodge that he should be permitted to enter the British open championship this year, it was announced tonight.

As the professional of the lodge he will assist in its formal opening that day.

NORFOLK BEAT TAYLOR

NEW YORK, March 27.—Kid Norfolk, negro light-heavyweight, was given the judges' decision over Jack Taylor, of Omaha, at the end of a twelve-round bout tonight. Norfolk weighed 175, and Taylor 180.

Golf Championship Draw Is Announced

The outstanding sporting event of the Easter holidays will be the British Columbia golf championship, to be played on the Oak Bay course of the Victoria Golf Club. Sixty-four entries have been received, and the qualifying rounds will be played on Good Friday. Bob Bone, of Vancouver, is the present champion, but will be unable to defend his title this year. Vancouver, however, will be represented by several strong players, though the bulk of the entrants are local players, with each of the local clubs well represented. The course is in the best possible condition for play, and, given fair weather, the tournament should be an outstanding success, with every chance of its also ending with the title of provincial champion brought back to the capital. The draw was made last night and resulted as follows:

Morning			Afternoon
9:00	N. Thornton Fell	and	D. H. Houston 12:45
9:05	J. E. Wilson	"	S. H. deCarteret 12:50
9:10	A. V. Price	"	A. C. Stewart 12:55
9:15	B. Wilson	"	N. J. Smillie 1:00
9:20	J. H. Edmonds	"	R. Scott-Moncrieff 1:05
9:25	A. V. Macan	"	A. Bull 1:10
9:30	J. R. Waghorn	"	H. F. Hepburn 1:15
9:35	H. G. Wilson	"	R. J. Larcus 1:20
9:40	F. Thomas	"	A. E. Mountifield 1:25
9:45	L. B. Kent	"	L. D. Rines 1:30
9:50	C. P. Schwengers	"	T. O. Mackay 1:35
9:55	H. P. Taylor	"	J. Hart 1:40
10:00	A. M. D. Fairbairn	"	C. E. Wilson 1:45
10:05	H. P. Hodges	"	R. H. Swinerton 1:50
10:10	W. G. Leith	"	Hew Paterson 1:55
10:15	A. T. Goward	"	R. Traill 2:00
10:20	Gavin Davis	"	R. H. Pooley 2:05
10:25	J. M. Wood	"	J. Galt 2:10
10:30	C. I. Mackenzie	"	N. W. F. Rant 2:15
10:35	J. A. Sayward	"	L. S. V. York 2:20
10:40	H. A. Tomalin	"	A. M. Shaw 2:25
10:45	B. P. Schwengers	"	H. A. Jones 2:30
10:50	H. G. Garrett	"	D. S. Montgomery 2:35
10:55	C. A. Cator	"	H. Westmorland 2:40
11:00	G. S. Wismer	"	W. Parry 2:45
11:05	A. M. Boyd	"	J. S. Matterson 2:50
11:10	H. Collings	"	A. G. Beasley 2:55
11:15	R. Bell-Irving	"	J. A. Rithet 3:00
11:20	J. Savident	"	W. C. Todd 3:05
11:25	E. D. Freeman	"	A. S. Musgrave 3:10
11:30	J. A. Campbell	"	H. W. R. Moore 3:15
11:35	C. Morrison	"	J. S. Bowker 3:20

Players not ready to start at the time at which they are drawn will be liable to disqualification.

A Ceremony of Big International Importance

Tennis Representatives of Seventeen Countries Gathered About the Ballot Box at Bankers' Club as Davis Cup Drawings for 1923 Were Made by Louis D. Bailey (Third From Right). Z. Shimidzu, Jap Star (Left), Made First Drawing.

SENSATIONAL GOLF

PINEHURST, N.C., March 27.—Walter Hagen, British open champion, played the last nine holes of the championship course here in a sensational 32 today, in a match in which Hagen and his amateur partner, A. S. Brown, jr., of Salem, Mass., were defeated, three and two, by Joe Kirkwood, the Australian, and Grantland Rice, newspaperman. Hagen had a score of 37-32—69 for the 18 holes, and Kirkwood had a round of 34-35—69.

HUSKIES SHOW OLD-TIME SKILL

Score Decisive Victory Over J.B.A.A. in Opening Game of Basketball Championships at Y.M.C.A.

CRUSADERS WIN FROM THE BUSINESS MEN

Y.M.C.A. Team Makes Bold Fight, But Has to Acknowledge Defeat by Big Margin After Lively Contest

The famous old Huskies' aggregation of baltossers lived up to its reputation by securing a victory over the J. B. A. A. five at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium last night by 43 to 27.

Tommy Peden, Tommy Nute, Bob Peden and all the rest of the oldtimers showed remarkable speed and had control of the play all through. Vernot Jones was in good form on the defence.

"Dad" Hartley, the J. B. A. A. centre man, was the star for the losers, Watson being the most effective defence man.

The Huskies' long experience proved too much for the younger players on the J. B. A. A. team, who, however, never slowed up in their efforts to overtake their opponents.

Tom De Macedo refereed, and the teams and scores were as follows:

Huskies—Bob Peden, 18; Tom Peden, 4; Tom Nute, 10; Vernot Jones, 7; Johnny Peden, 2; V. Tostevan, 2.

J. B. A. A.—M. Dunn, 4; J. Riddell, 2; "Dad" Hartley, 14; H. Watson, 4; A. MacLachlan, 2.

Crusaders and the Y.M.C.A. Businessmen met in a lively contest which resulted in a win for the Crusader quintette. The Y.M.C.A. made a bold effort to overtake the Crusaders on several occasions, Pete McKechnie and Bill Peden dropping in some good shots, but Crusaders were equal to the occasion and kept a safe lead throughout.

Scotty Dowds, as usual, was very effective at close quarters, netting 21 points. Jimmy Buckett played well at centre, scoring 3 baskets, while the Hole brothers divided 10 points between them.

Pete McKechnie and Bill Peden were the most effective players for the Y.M.C.A., Myles also proving a good shot.

Crusaders, on the form shown in their opening game, should be strong contenders for the honors.

Bill Erickson refereed, and the teams follow:

Crusaders—Scotty Dowds, 21; Art Hole, 6; Jimmy Buckett, 6; Sid Hole, 4; Gus McIntyre.

Y.M.C.A. Businessmen—Myles, 4; McKechnie, 6; S. Beck, W. Peden, 4; Woolridge, H. Gilliland, 2.

BUD RIDLEY WINS KAYO FROM GORMAN

SEATTLE, March 27.—Bud Riley, Seattle featherweight, won a technical knockout over Joe Gorman, Portland, here tonight, in the second round of a scheduled six-round bout.

Gorman sent Ridley down in the first round for the count of nine, with a left hook. Ridley came back strong in the second, and crossing with a left, floored the Portlander. Gorman rose at the count of two, but Referee Ad Schacht awarded a decision when he dropped as the Seattle man came toward him.

George Burns, Portland, lightweight, gained a decision over Joe Black, Denver; Frankie Grandetta, Portland, flyweight, over Tommy Yolas, Filipino, and Red Campbell, Everett, welterweight, over Roy McCaslin, Bremerton.

Frankie Green, Seattle, bantamweight, and Ludwig Jones, Tacoma, fought a four-round draw.

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G.W.V.A. Annual Ten-Mile Race Tomorrow

Jimmie Buckett Will Defend Coveted Silverware in Fourth Good Friday Road Run—Much Interest Shown in Competition—Entries Close at G. W. V. A. Rooms at Noon Today

ENTRIES for the big annual Good Friday road race, which takes place tomorrow morning over a ten-mile course, will close today at noon. All the participants in this yearly run must have their names in the hands of Mr. Henry King, secretary of the committee of the Great War Veterans' Association, by that time. Mr. King's headquarters are at the G.W.V.A. clubrooms, Law Chambers, corner of Bastion and Langley Streets.

A lot of interest is being taken in tomorrow's race by members of the sporting fraternity of the city, and some excellent competition is being looked forward to. This annual race has always proved an interesting event at Easter time, and in the past years there has always been a large number follow the runners over the route in motor cars.

The runners themselves have not been doing a great deal of talking lately, but it is known that they have been training hard so as to give of their best when tomorrow's competition gets under way at 10:30 o'clock. Victoria boasts of splendid athletes in Jimmie Buckett and other well-known runners, and it is expected that there will be a big throng of spectators witness the start of the big outdoor event of the day.

The race will start from the G.W.V.A. premises at Bastion and Langley Streets. The route to be followed will be along Langley to Yates, Yates to Government, Government to Gorge Road, Gorge Road to a point beyond the Four Mile House. The return to the city will be made over the same course, with the runners finishing at the corner of Bastion and Langley Streets.

G.W.V.A. Trophy at Stake

The trophy at stake will be the G.W.V.A. Annual Good Friday Road Race Perpetual Cup. The present holder is Jimmie Buckett, who has won the honors during the past four years. But this year, his competitors say, things are going to be different, and they throw out the warning to Buckett that he will have the time of his young life trying to again lift this coveted trophy at their expense.

Jimmie Buckett, who will be one of the entrants of the Crusaders in the race tomorrow, had a very narrow escape last year when there was a field of about a dozen starters. Ernie Cull, a fellow Crusader, led the way over the course until the final 200 yards was reached, when Buckett, with a sudden burst of speed and energy, overtook Cull and arrived at the finishing point 15 seconds before his formidable opponent completed the distance. It was a sensational finish to a very interesting race.

In 1921, Buckett covered the ten miles in 58 minutes and 58 seconds. Last year, the route was up Fort Street to Richmond, along Richmond to Lansdowne Road, along that street to Hillside and back to the city. The distance, however, was only about eight miles, and Buckett traversed the course in 46 minutes and 30 seconds. This year the runners will run a new direction, and some of the hills that they pass after the Craigflower Bridge has been crossed may tell on a few of them.

Buckett's Opponents

Two of Buckett's opponents are ready to give of their best tomorrow. Buckett, though, has been training hard for the race, and hopes to set a new record for the ten-mile road event in these parts. Laurie Everett has thrown his hat in the ring and plans to pull a few surprises, and hopes that Buckett will be one of the most surprised when the race is over. Everett is a very consistent starter, and always finishes, though not always the first to touch the tape at the finishing point. Driver Rogers, of the C.A.S.C., is another man that has his eyes focussed on the G.W.V.A. Cup, and he intends making Buckett "step lively" if the latter hopes to again walk off with the Good Friday trophy.

Following the competition, the participants in the race will be served refreshments in the G.W.V.A. club rooms, the members of the Women's Auxiliary to the organization having this part of the programme well in hand. The prizes will be awarded the successful contestants at an impromptu concert, which will be held next Tuesday night in the G.W.V.A. premises.

SEEDED DRAW MADE FOR INDOOR TENNIS

Canadian, English and Japanese Entries Received for U.S. National Singles Championship

NEW YORK, March 28.—Six Metropolitan tennis stars were seeded today in a field of 67 players drawn for the national indoor singles' championship starting here Saturday. The entry list was seven less than the record established last year. Francis T. Hunter, of New Rochelle, N.Y., the defending champion, was seeded in the lower half of the draw, with Frank T. Anderson, of Brooklyn, 1921 titleholder, and Herbert L. Bowman, New York State champion.

In the upper half, Vincent Richards, of Yonkers, No. 3 ranking star, and indoor titleholder in 1919, was seeded with S. Howard Voshell, of Brooklyn, 1917-18 champion, and Percy L. Kynaston, of Rockville, N.Y.

An international tinge was added to the tournament by the entry of Kei Okuno, Japanese resident of New York; Augustus Stone, of Roehampton, England, and P. C. Hart, of Canada. Princeton, Rutgers and Columbia are represented.

UPLANDS GOLF

Following is the draw for the ladies' tombstone competition to be played at the Uplands Golf Club on Saturday:

A Division

Mrs. Nixon and Miss M. S. Fraser.
Miss Kinlock and Mrs. Fairbairn.
Miss Benson and Mrs. Sanders.
Mrs. Pocock and Mrs. Mitchell.
Mrs. Boyd and Mrs. Unsworth.

B Division

Miss B. Wilson and Mrs. Sparks.
Mrs. Foulis and Miss B. McKinnon.
Miss Mason and Mrs. McFarland.
Miss M. Johnston and Mrs. Birch.
Mrs. Young and Mrs. McMicking.
Mrs. Ellis and Miss Folferden.
Mrs. Staden and Mrs. Barton.
Miss Trenchard and Miss L. D. Fraser.
Miss D. Fowkes and Miss K. E. Fraser.

Players will arrange their own starting times.

TENNIS RIVALS ARE BOTH VICTORIOUS

Mrs. Mallory and Mlle Lenglen Each Win Doubles Match in Cannes Tournament

CANNES, France, March 28.—Mrs. Molla B. Mallory and Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen both were victorious in mixed doubles tennis matches played in the tournament here today.

Mrs. Mallory and Baron de Morpurgo defeated Miss Bowater and Mr. Hodgson, 6-1, 6-1, while Mlle. Lenglen and C. F. Aeschlimen beat Miss Smailles and Col. Hamilton, 6-0, 6-0, and also won from Mrs. Sanderson and Mr. Morter, 6-0, 6-3.

King Gustave of Sweden, paired with A. C. Hunter, defeated Mr. Eno and Mr. Stenhouse, 6-0, 6-1.

GOLF COMPETITIONS ON ESQUIMALT LINKS

On the Esquimalt links of the Macauley Golf Club competitions will be held on Good Friday and Easter Monday as follows: On Good Friday there will be two sweepstakes competitions, for men and ladies, eighteen holes medal play with full handicap allowed, players to choose their own partners. Entrance fee twenty-five cents. On Easter Monday a mixed foursome competition will be played over eighteen holes with full handicap. Partners will be drawn for in this competition. Matches may start at any time after 9:30 a.m.

RACQUET CHAMPIONSHIP

LONDON, March 28.—In the second round of the amateur racquet championship today, C. C. Pell, of New York, defeated Captain Christie, of England.

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The Ten U. S. Best Amateurs—10

Cyril Tolley, the giant British amateur golfer, stood chatting with me under one of the great elms that shade the lawns about the clubhouse at the Brookline Country Club during the national amateur championship last Fall. As we talked, Tolley, I observed, watched with the keenest interest a young player who was making some practice swings some seventy-five yards away. The crowd of amateurs had come on and play was under way for the first qualifying round.

"Look at the rhythm of that swing!" Tolley exclaimed, with his eye still centred on the player in the distance. "Who is he?" he asked. "That is as fine a swing as I have ever beheld! Is he Knepper?"

The knickerbockered silhouette in the offing might have been Knepper from the unmistakable ease and grace of his swings with the different clubs, but it was not. The strokes which Tolley observed, however, were made by the one youth in America who comes nearest to the remarkable Knepper style of play—Eddy Held, of St. Louis, national public links champion.

If Held were not the public links champion he might today be the national amateur champion. This is true because his playing in the public links matches at Toledo, or, more strictly speaking, his difficulty in reaching Boston after the Toledo competitions in time to tee off in the national amateur, had a bad effect on his game which, more than anything else, resulted in his failing to qualify. He lost a lot of sleep because of the title he had just won—bear in mind that he is but 19 years old, and this was his first title—and on top of that he had to ride on a train all day and a night, only to arrive in Boston less than an hour before his time to tee off at Brookline. Instead of asking for a delay, which would have been granted under the circumstances, he chose to make the grade, and suffered accordingly. Such is the enthusiasm of youth!

Held has a rhythm in his golf swings that is as easy to look at as the cashier on pay day. Like Knepper, he gets his club up and down again without seeming to have exerted himself in the least. When you see a boy 19 years of age swinging his clubs like that you know instinctively that you are looking at a champion to come. Held, like Knepper, will some day be a titleholder, unless so many golfers come on that it will be utterly impossible to pick any particular one out of the crowd. That isn't likely, however, at least for some years to come, so that for the present you can know that when a youth of Held's age has a style like his the championship is only a matter of time.

Held lives in St. Louis, and now is a member of one of the St. Louis clubs, though all his golf was picked up on the Forest Park public links there. He has as good a game as there is—all he needs is a little more experience. The train ride from Toledo to Boston against time was one big chunk of it!

I complete my list of the ten best amateur golfers in America with Eddy Held for number 10.

TIJUANA RACING

TIJUANA, Mex., March 28.—A large attendance is anticipated tomorrow to witness the running of the Tijuana Handicap of $10,000, when a battle royal may be expected, as at least six of the horses will again run for the supremacy of the Tijuana track. Irwin has nominated Raap and Van Patrick, which will, no doubt, be the public's choice. Doubtful will run from the same stable as Rebuke, the winner of the Derby, as he is the only one J. K. L. Ross had entered previous to his losing him via the claiming route. Crane runs John S. Reardon from the same stable as Adonis, and the horse that beats him will be returned the winner.

Yesterday's results follow:

First race, claiming, six furlongs—1, Faber (D. Hurn); 2, May Breun (Long); 3, Scraps (Ralls).

Second race, claiming, 1 and three-sixteenths miles—1, Christie Holter (Zander); 2, York Lassie (Wilson); 3, John Arbor (Flynn).

Third race, claiming, five and one-half furlongs—1, John Jr. (Glass); 2, Kimono (Seremba); 3, Dragon (Powell).

Fourth race, one mile—1, Lavaga (Wilson); 2, Callthump (Trickson); 3, Dissolute (Merrimee).

Fifth race, one mile—1, Tom Craven (Ralls); 2, Black Pat (Hurn); 3, Caamano (Long).

Sixth race, six furlongs—1, Vibrate (Stevens); 2, Trusty (Kessinger); 3, Lara (Thompson).

Seventh race, one and three-sixteenths miles—1 Louis (Donahue); 2, Walter Don't (Cantrell); 3, Penwell (Ralls).

Eighth race, one mile—1, Plow Steel (Stevens); 2, Judge David (Ralls); 3, Tawasentha (Rose).

Overnight Entries

First race, four furlongs—Blushing, 107; Virginia Holland, 107; Olivia, 110; Lovelace, 110; Harry Davis Jr., 110; Brandeis, 112; Nellie R, 114; Battle Shot, 119; Buster Keaton, 122.

Second race, five and one-half furlongs—Fickle Fancy, 110; Isphan, 110, Pink Tenny, 110; Miss Dunbar, 110; Velvet, 110; Phyllis K, 110; Annette's Sister, 110; Counsel, 110; Irmitana, 110; Cicely Ray, 110; Merry Lass, 110; Argonne Forest, 110; Toyon, 110; Lady Bourbon, 110.

Third race, one mile—Bessie Young, 104; Lucky Pearl, 110; Clearfield, 110; Tennilee, 110; Prophacy, 110; Fukey B, 112; Lariat, 113; Pretender, 115; McGrean, 115; Argento, 115; Mentono, 115; Jazz, 115.

Fourth race, six furlongs—Hayseed, 92; St. Angeline, 102; Alila Ocha, 102; Bowsprit, 104; Tule, 110; Irosity, 110.

Fifth race, mile and one-eighth—Reap, 97; Scotland Yet, 97; Van Patrick, 97; Doubtful, 97; Old Faithful, 99; Romany, 101; John Paul Jones, 105; John G. Reardon, 107.

Reap and Van Patrick Irwin entry.

Sixth race, six furlongs—Trippewa, 93; Stylish Miss, 98; Olympiad, 110; No Wonder, 110; Shore Acres, 110; Lobella, 115; Nizan, 115; Napan, 115; Conichon, 115; Chrome, 115; Delancey, 115; Jerry, 115; Kirkwood, 115; Veteran, 115.

Seventh race, mile and seventy yards—Barriskane, 104; Roisterer, 109; Herder, 109; Breeze, 109; Donatello, 109; Silk Sox, 109; Lenieve, 111; Obstinate, 111; Rouen, 113; Harry Rudder, 113.

Eighth race, five and one-half furlongs—Endive, 103; Fud, 105; Full Moon, 105; Private Peat, 109; Loch Leven, 113; Little Beach, 113; Honest George, 115; Sundial II, 115; Dalton, 122.

Intervarsity Golf Is Won by Oxford

RYE, England, March 28.—Oxford's golfers defeated Cambridge six matches to four, in the individual match play over the Rye course today, thus winning the annual tournament nine matches to six. This victory is Oxford's nineteenth in the series of forty tournaments thus far played. Cambridge has won eighteen and three were drawn.

Frenchmen Win in International Fencing

PARIS, March 28.—The first international fencing tournament since the war ended early today in a slight disturbance over a decision in the principal match between Candido Sassone, the Italian professional foils champion, and M. Benton, the French titleholder. French competitors won eight out of the twelve bouts.

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OFFICERS PROMISE AID FOR GYMKHANA

MILITARY MEN SHOW INTEREST IN COMING EVENT

Vancouver Island Racing and Breeding Association Is Being Given Valuable Support

The gymkhana to be staged at the Willows by the Vancouver Island Racing and Breeding Association in conjunction with the May 24 celebration is assured of the support of the military officers of the district, which should go a long way to make success certain. Lieut. Carley, secretary of the association, stated last night that Brigadier-General J. M. Ross, C. M. G., D. S. O., has offered to give all the assistance in his power. Also the well-known horseman Lieut.-Colonel F. Homer Dixon, D. S. O., has offered his services as judge with Lieut.-Colonel F. H. M. Codville, M. C.

Colonel H. C. Greer, the well-known cross-country rider, will officiate as one of the stewards, and other officers who will lend their aid are Capt. H. Westmoreland, Capt. Best, Messrs. W. E. Austin and G. Herrman of Vancouver, and Inspector N. Irvin of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. Promises have also been received from a number of other prominent sportsmen to make an endeavor to recover the old prestige of amateur horse racing in British Columbia at the May 24 meet at the Willows.

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Those who are fortunate enough to be able to take a holiday over Easter, and whose propensities lead them to try their luck and skill with rod and line, should have every prospect of success. The warm weather of the past few days has not been without its effect on the finny tribe and reports of good fishing have been coming in from various quarters.

Trout fishing is reported to be excellent at Cowichan and Shawnigan Lakes, and, even allowing the usual discount, it is safe to say that some excellent catches of good big fish have been made in those justly celebrated waters. At Shawnigan Lake on Sunday a basket of 25 was landed in two hours. Those who prefer to try their luck in the salt chuck and nearer home may be fairly sure of good sport with grilse on Saanich Arm. A report from Brentwood is to the effect that grilse of from two to three pounds weight are plentiful, and that there is a run on of small Spring salmon up to seven pounds weight. Sport should be equally certain in other of the well-known resorts of fishermen.

Played for Choir

Joseph Bonnet, the famous organist of St. Eustache, Paris, who appeared in recital here on Tuesday evening, attended choir practice at St. Andrew's Cathedral yesterday, and at the conclusion of the singing he ascended to the organ loft and gave a short recital which overjoyed the listeners.

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Champion Jack Taylor Defends His Title From O'Connor, of Vancouver

LETHBRIDGE, March 28.—Jack Taylor, Winnipeg, successfully defended his title as heavyweight champion wrestler of Canada here tonight against Gene O'Connor, Vancouver. O'Connor put up a peppery exhibition, but being 30 pounds lighter than Taylor, was unable to overcome the handicap. Taylor secured the first fall in 34 minutes with a toe hold and the second in 11 minutes with an arm bar.

GRANITES FETED

Assured That Ontario Government Is Backing Project of Sending Them to Olympics

TORONTO, March 28.—Members of the Ontario Government and the Toronto City Council joined hands with the Granite Curling Club in extending congratulations to the Allan Cup holders at a banquet here last night. Captain Joe Thompson assured the Granites that every effort would be made by the Ontario Government to see that their trip to the Olympic Games materialized and that funds sufficient to insure them of proper care would be forthcoming.

SEEK TO SETTLE SCHOOL DISPUTE

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to the following schools: Sir James Douglas, 2; Girls' Central, 7; Boys' Central, 12; George Jay, 40; Spring Ridge, 7; Quadra Primary, 2; North Ward divisions, Douglas Street School, 30; Railway Street school, 47; Rock Bay School, 85. The eighty-five pupils assigned to Rock Bay School are of the following classes: Primer, 50; first reader, 13; second reader, 22. The forty-seven pupils assigned to the Railway Street School are of the following classes: Primer, 21; junior intermediate, 17; senior intermediate, 9. The forty-seven include seventeen pupils who are classed in the junior grades owing to retardation and their consequent lack of knowledge of English.

The new assignment, therefore, is an effort to keep separate the junior Chinese grades wherein the pupils have not learned sufficient English to compare favorably with English-speaking pupils and who, because of this fact, would retard, it is contended, the progress of the entire class in which they were placed.

Mr. Dean explained that so far as accommodation in the public schools permitted, the new assignment had placed Chinese pupils of various grades, who were qualified by their knowledge of English, in the various schools. A condition was made, however, that in case any pupil so assigned was judged in the opinion of the principal of the school, to be retarding his or her class because of a lack of efficiency in English, then that pupil would be withdrawn and assigned to his or her suitable grade in one of the schools of the North Ward division.

Primary Institution

Mr. Joe Hope asked if, under the proposed plan, the Railway Street school still remained an institution for the use of Chinese pupils only.

Mr. Dean replied that the school was used as a primary institution where pupils of foreign extraction who were not sufficiently educated in the English language to take their places in classes in the other public schools, would be assigned.

"Are there any other children assigned there than those of Chinese parents?" asked Mr. Hope.

Mr. Dean replied that he had not been advised of the fact if there were.

Trustee Beckwith explained that the school was reserved for the use of the children of parents of any nationality if such children were not properly equipped to take their places in English-speaking classes. And such pupils would be taught English there until they did develop sufficient efficiency in the language to warrant their transfer to other schools, providing accommodation was available.

Mr. Hope asked if all Chinese beginners would be assigned to the Railway Street school.

Inspector Dean, replying, stated that such would be the case for this term at least. No accommodation existed in the primer classes of the other schools.

Mr. Cecil Lee pointed out that the Chinese parents were very sensitive about having their children placed in the Railway Street school which they looked upon as nothing more nor less than segregation and he claimed the whole root of the disagreement hinged on that question.

Inspector Dean reiterated that it was absolutely necessary that new Chinese pupils be sent to some primary school to learn the English language before being placed in primary classes or any other classes of English-speaking pupils.

Trustee Silvertz stated that there was no intention on the part of the School Board to discriminate against the Chinese. It happened that the pupils of the Railway Street school were all Chinese because no other pupils of foreign extraction who could not speak English resided in the city. But if such pupils did exist here, no matter what their nationality, they would under present conditions of accommodation, be compelled to attend the primary grades of the Railway Street school.

Mr. Cecil Lee claimed that the system of putting the Chinese pupils of the junior grades all together in one school would defeat the desired object. He denied that the Chinese pupils were lacking in knowledge of English. Ignorance of the language was not general and the real causes for many of the pupils' backwardness were self-consciousness and lack of practice because they could not mingle with English-speaking pupils.

It was pointed out to him by Trustee Siverts that even when Chinese pupils attended school in the same classes as English-speaking pupils, they did not mingle. They kept to themselves and the two races played separately. Consequently he did not think the mere fact of a Chinese pupil attending in the same class as English-speaking pupils would help him understand English when he failed to congregate with them.

Mr. Hope attacked the problem from a theoretical point of view and claimed that the Chinese residents of the city were not securing British fair play. The Chinese parents thought they were being discriminated against and they would continue to think so until Chinese and other children attended school in the same classes. Chinese pupils in Victoria were eighty-five per cent native born, and consequently as Canadians they were entitled to equality of opportunity in education.

"We urge you to consider if there exists no possibility of putting the Chinese pupils back on the same footing they were last Summer," he concluded.

Matter of Accommodation

Chairman George Jay pointed out that there existed no accommodation for them in any other school except the Railway school and the King's Road school, which was at present closed.

Mr. Hope then proposed that all pupils should attend the school in their own neighborhood irrespective of classification.

Trustee Siverts appealed to the delegates to lay aside any sense of injury they might feel and to consider the entire question in an open minded manner.

Trustee Beckwith observed that the board had no desire to make the Railway school appear as a wholly Chinese primary school. The plan proposed was one whose only object was efficiency, and he thought the pupils attending such a school would learn elementary English much more rapidly there than in other schools, where they must either hear instruction which, because of their lack of knowledge of English, they did not understand, or retard the entire class while they were taught the elementary subject that the other pupils knew before they entered the class.

One of the delegates suggested that the name of the Railway school be changed. The parents disliked its connection with the term segregation, and he thought if the name were changed the memory of it might be changed too.

Near the end of the meeting the newspapers came in for criticism which is quite customary in connection with questions which perplex. Trustee Siverts claimed that if there existed an idea that the School Board was attempting to keep Chinese pupils from the schools it was an accident and the newspapers were responsible for spreading the idea.

Chairman Jay stated that if the Chinese parents were prepared to meet the new proposals of the board, the pupils could return to school following the Easter holidays. If no agreement was reached, however, he asserted that the new classes proposed would not be opened until the commencement of the Fall term.

At the conclusion of the meeting Trustees Beckwith and Brown denied emphatically rumors to the effect that the activity to separate the non-English speaking pupils from the English speaking ones had originated in the Chamber of Commerce. The suggestion, they claimed, was absolutely without foundation and the rumors were pure fabrications.

Cheers Hail Death of No. 1 Field Punishment

LONDON, March 28.—The Army Council has decided to abolish field punishment number one. An announcement to this effect by Mr. Walter E. Guinness, Under-Secretary of War, in the House of Commons last night, was received with cheers.

Warns Spain to Suppress Rebellion in Morocco

MADRID, March 28.—The Spanish High Commissioner in Morocco in a communication received by the Government on the situation here, stresses the necessity of quick military action for the suppression of the native rebellion.

FIFTY-SEVEN DIE IN PARAGUAY FIGHT

Government Forces Clash With Rebels in Villa Rica and Force Them to Evacuate City

BUENOS AIRES, March 28.—Fifty-seven persons were killed and twenty wounded in fighting between Government forces and rebels in the town of Villa Rica, Paraguay, when Government troops forced the rebels to evacuate the town, according to a dispatch received here tonight.

MR. JOSEPH MARTIN'S ESTATE

VANCOUVER, March 28.—While the will of the late Joseph Martin, K.C., will not be probated for about one month, it is understood on good authority that his estate will be in the neighborhood of $100,000.

OLD AGE PENSIONS

OTTAWA, March 28.—The establishment of a system of old age pensions was urged on the Dominion Government today by a deputation representing District 26, U.M.W.A. Mayor Morrison, of Glace Bay, headed the deputation.

GENERAL MAUNORY DEAD

ORLEANS, France, March 28.—General Maunory, former military governor of Paris, was seized with a fainting fit and died on a train today, shortly after leaving for Bordeaux.

GERMANS LOWER TAX

BERLIN, March 28.—A decrease in the coal tax, making it thirty per cent instead of forty, is expected on April 4, thereby cheapening the price of coal by 7½ per cent.

PREPARE FOR STRIKE

HALIFAX, March 28.—There is a report emanating from a reliable source that the Provincial police force will be revived here in view of the possible strike of steel workers in Sydney.

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MONTREAL, March 28.—That 800 Hebrideans will arrive in Canada at the end of April to settle in Ontario is the statement of Rev. John Chisholm, who arrived here yesterday after a visit to Great Britain and Europe.

INJURED BY TRAIN

PORT COQUITLAM, B. C., March 27.—Cecil Scott, of Vancouver, was seriously injured this morning when a C. P. R. train ran into a milk truck he was driving at a level crossing near here. Scott suffered a broken leg and painful injuries about the head.

VANCOUVER, March 27.—The badly decomposed body of an unknown man was found in the harbor here today. The only mark of identification was a membership card in a Marine Engineers' Union, number 33, of New York.

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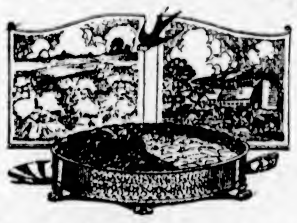
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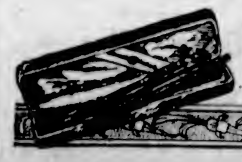
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FORM JUNIOR INSTITUTE

At a well-attended meeting of girls held at Royal Oak on Monday evening last, a Junior Institute in connection with the Royal Oak Women's Institute was formed. Mrs. S. W. Raven, president of the Women's Institute, explained the aims and objects of the Institute, and showed how these could be applied to the work of the junior institute, the members of the latter becoming members of the older institute later.

Provisional officers for the juniors were elected as follows: Miss M. Ferrie, president; Miss Fanny Brown, first vice-president; Miss M. Campbell, second vice-president; Miss D. L. Raven as secretary-treasurer; Misses Nora Brown and Carol Stone, directors. The new Institute will meet the members of the Women's Institute at the regular meeting on Friday, April 6, when it is hoped that some members of the Junior South Saanich Institute will be present for the social hour.

NORMA TALMADGE IN ORIENTAL FILM AT ROYAL NEXT WEEK

That people are eager for stories of the Orient is evidenced by the popularity of "The Voice From the Minaret," Norma Talmadge's latest offering through First National, which is to be the feature at the Royal Victoria Theatre next week. Eugene O'Brien plays opposite Miss Talmadge in this photoplay, which is based on the novel by Robert Hichens and was directed by Frank Lloyd, the creator of "The Eternal Flame" and other big successes.

"The Voice From the Minaret" is proof of the rapid strides being made in the cinematographic art. A story replete with dramatic situations that hold the spectator spellbound; settings that breathe the very spirit of the Orient, and a cast that is the last word in artistry—these combine to form a perfect photoplay and one that is destined to live in the memory. Edwin Stevens, Winter Hall, Carl Gerard, Claire Du Brey, Lillian Lawrence and Albert Presco are in the cast.

LONDON QUARTETTE'S WORK HIGHLY PRAISED

The London String Quartette, one of the three greatest string quartettes in the world, comes to Victoria on Monday, April 2, for one performance to be given in the Empress Hotel ballroom that evening.

"Four giants in art," "Supreme among string quartettes in the world today," these and many other opinions of the world press are recorded of this famous British group of musicians.

"The London players achieved the greatest distinction and showed most conclusively their mastery of style, their command of the special technical difficulties presented in these quartettes. Their playing throughout was marked by poignant intensity of expression, rhythmic power, a significant leading of the parts that never departed from a truly blended ensemble, expressed in euphony and richness of tone." Such was the tribute paid in The New York Times following performances by this organization there.

The rare opportunity of hearing these artists will be given Victorians on Monday. The seat sale is now in progress at Fletcher Bros., Limited.

ENTERTAIN AGED MEN

A splendid variety concert of music and songs has been arranged under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Gaiger, to take place at the Aged Men's Home at the Willows this evening at 7:45 sharp, for the benefit of the inmates. After the concert refreshments will be served. An invitation is extended to all friends to attend.

The following have kindly consented to help with the programme: Mrs. and Miss White, Miss M. Harding, Miss K. A. Gaiger, Miss N. Menelaws, Miss E. Bridge, Mr. W. Vaughan Jones, Mr. A. L. Hickling, Mr. F. Merryfield, Mr. L. Jones, Mr. R. A. Heater, Lieut. Cossette, R.C.N., Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Gaiger.

TWO-CENT POSTAGE AGAIN IS PREDICTED

Economies Effected by Hon. Charles Murphy Make Announcement in Budget Speech Possible

WINNIPEG, March 28.—The Manitoba Free Press published the following from its Ottawa correspondent today: "There is a strong possibility Hon. W. S. Fielding, in his budget speech, will announce a return to the two-cent postage. The two-cent rate was put into effect by Hon. William Mulock in 1897 and remained in effect with increased postal revenues until the war, when it was increased to three cents for war purposes.

"Under the administration of the Hon. Charles Murphy as Postmaster-General important economies were effected to such an extent that the Postmaster-General announced at the recent postal conference a return to the two-cent rate was in sight. The Minister, however, intimated it was for Mr. Fielding, as Finance Minister, to decide, inasmuch as the extra cost goes to the general consolidated revenue.

"There is a strong feeling in favor of the reduction as being one which would affect practically every member of the population of the Dominion. Mr. Mulock's experience was that the reduction from three to two cents increased instead of decreased the revenue."

FLEW SIX THOUSAND MILES

CARMARTHENSHIRE, Wales, March 28.—News has reached here that a ringed swallow which was liberated from Langharne, a neighboring village, has been picked up dead on a farm near Johannesburg, South Africa, 6,000 miles away. This is the first time actual proof has been obtained of a swallow's flight from Wales to South Africa.

Community Concert

Auspices 5th Regiment Canadian Garrison Artillery

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At the Playhouses

TOM MIX IN ARABIA AT COLUMBIA TODAY

Many Surprises Seen in Latest Picture Showing Here for the First Time

"Tom Mix in Arabia," title of the latest Fox production, starring the vigorous Tom Mix, which is due at the Columbia Theatre today, is characterized by many surprising incidents that will please the most blase of picture-goers.

It is doubtful whether any photoplay ever exhibited on the local screen possessed more thrilling situations which were actually enacted by the star of the picture who refused the assistance of a double.

Without revealing in detail the elements of new and surprising action and atmosphere that "Tom Mix in Arabia" contains, it may be said that Mix practically steps out of his old character entirely and reveals a new power and versatility as an actor—becomes a reckless and romantic adventurer amid tense scenes and dynamic action in the Arabian desert.

With a colorful and romantic story of this type, Mix has a greater opportunity than ever to show his capabilities as an actor—and he does it in a manner that establishes him more strongly in fame and favor than ever before. With bold, broad strokes, as well as the very finest shading of character delineation, Mix plays upon every emotion, mixing delightfully light moments of comedy with heavy, tense and thrilling dramatic action.

Supporting him is the usual sterling cast of players, including Claire Adams, as female lead.

CAPITOL THEATRE Proving itself everywhere to be one of the best pictures produced in many months, "Adam and Eva," a Cosmopolitan-Paramount production, starring Marion Davies, now being shown at the Capitol Theatre, is a light comedy and affords Miss Davies a charming role. In the picture James King, Miss Davies' father, despairs of successfully managing his unruly daughters. He lets a young man-of-the-times take charge of the situation. The latter, in a surprisingly short length of time, brings the girls to their senses and wins for himself Eva. Emile Coue, the most-talked-of man in the world—the famous pharmacist of Nancy—the disciple of conscious auto-suggestion, whose theories have taken the world by storm and whose books are being printed in hundred thousand editions on the presses of America and Europe, has given his message to the world in a two-reel Educational Pictures Special, "The Message of Emile Coue," which is showing at the Capitol as a special attraction this week.

ROYAL VICTORIA A sensational jump never before negotiated has been included in the spectacular steeplechase scenes in Thomas H. Ince's comedy drama special, "The Hottentot," now showing at the Royal Victoria Theatre. One of the most difficult jumps to teach a high school horse is to take a picket fence. Director Del Andrews, who filmed the race scenes in Ince's screen version of the stage play in which Willie Collier scored such a success, was so determined to get something brand new in the way of racing thrills that he had two picket fences put in succession on the course which was specially laid out for the steeplechase in the picture. Thirteen horses take twenty-four jumps, including stone walls, wire fences, hedges, artificial barriers and an eighteen-foot water jump. To be sure of enough horses to finish out the scenes, a string of twenty-six horses was gotten together and trained for these jumps. More time was spent in teaching the horses to take the double picket fence jump than was necessary for all the other jumps put together.

DOMINION THEATRE One of the most powerful dramas seen on the screen of the Dominion Theatre was presented there again last night, and met with an enthusiastic reception. Bearing the title of "The Impossible Mrs. Bellew," and directed by Sam Wood, this feature de luxe presents Gloria Swanson in the strongest and most compelling role of her screen career. Her performance in the role of a wronged young wife who sought to forget, and who eventually found another and greater happiness, proved most artistic. As a mother torn from the child she loved dearer than life, she exhibited emotional talent of a high order. Conrad Nagel, as the young novelist who alone saw the good that was in "Mrs. Bellew," gave a splendid characterization.

ST. MARY'S, OAK BAY

On Good Friday morning service will be held at 11 o'clock with an address by the rector, and at 7:30 p.m. Maunder's cantata, "From Olivet to Calvary," will be given by the choir with the assistance of Mr. W. Draper, who has undertaken the tenor solo work, and Mr. F. T. Mitchell, who will be responsible for the baritone. Mr. F. T. C. Wickett will conduct, and Mr. T. Myers will preside at the organ.

On Easter Sunday there will be celebrations of the holy communion at 7 a.m., 8 a.m., 9:20 a.m. and at 12 noon; morning prayer at 11 a.m. with special music and anthem; full festal evensong at 7 p.m., anthem by the choir. Miss Marion Houldsworth will sing "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth," and the rector will preach.

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AMUSEMENTS

The Screen

Capitol—"Adam and Eva," starring Marion Davies.
Columbia—Tom Mix in "Arabia."
Dominion—Gloria Swanson in "The Impossible Mrs. Bellew."
Royal—"The Hottentot," featuring Madge Bellamy.

The Stage

Playhouse — "The Girl From Spencer's."

GIRL FROM SPENCER'S ENTHUSES AUDIENCE

Captivating Musical Comedy Scores Brilliant Success This Week at the Playhouse

Oceans of mirth, lots of snap and pep, tuneful songs, gems of sparkling wit, and a chorus of charming girls delightfully combine in making the latest Playhouse success, "The Girl From Spencer's," one of the biggest and most popular productions of the season. Laughter and merriment throughout the performance vie with each other for the principal honors, and the audience becomes so enthralled with the show that the performers at times have to wait several minutes before their patrons have thrown off the hilarious effects of the many witticisms.

For color, life and enjoyment, Playhouse Show Number Fourteen stands in a class by itself. From start to finish the show is just bristling with fun and jollity, and only a person possessing a grouch and who is beyond redemption could sit through the performance and wear a long face. It has often been said that smiling is good for one, but in any case, the Playhouse patrons this week can do nothing else but smile, so delightful does the offering prove to be.

The talented Playhouse Company, so ably directed by Mr. Reginald Hincke, is deserving of hearty plaudits and congratulation upon the splendid character of their show. "The Girl From Spencer's," and they once again established the fact that they are offering to the amusement lovers of Victoria performances of a high standard, and ones that should be encouraged and liberally patronized.

"Love" and "Happiness"

As the name of the show implies, the story of the production revolves around the Douglas Street Department Store, and a number of its girl employees, to whom full justice was paid. Scenes of the exterior and interior of the establishment were shown, while for the final act the performers are transported to Mayne Island, the scene of the firm's Summer picnic. Here again a lively time is had, while throughout the play several romances leading to "love" and "happiness" are very capably weaved.

Bob Webb, as the jovial and snappy city commissioner, starts the ball of merriment rolling in his lively song, "I Want to Be Popular." This is followed by several pleasing song numbers, "I've Got Everything I want but You," sung by Marie McLaughlin as Marjorie Mannering and T. Styles Sehl as Jack Hatherby, and "Piccaninnies," by Peggy Lewis as Vera (Buster's fiancee), and Will Marshall as Buster (an errand boy).

Along strolls Hans (Ernie Petch), who is responsible for many of the host of comical situations in the show. He is a "Dutchman" from Deutchland. He takes a fancy to a number of models in Spencer's windows, believing that said models were human. In fact, he said that one of the models had given him "the glad-eye." After much persuasion, the errand boy Buster gave up his job to Hans, who was delighted at the prospect of carrying the "models" up in the morning and down at night from the basement.

Models and Shop Girls

The models, Dorothy Sehl, Lorna Greenshields, Dorothy Stuart-Robertson and Eileen Allwood, gave a very fine dance, which went over big. Hans brought down the house with his song about "Three Hundred and Sixty-Five Days," while his singing of "Did the Lady Wink?" was enjoyed equally as well. The Commissioner scored a great hit in his belief, as expressed in song, that "Every Little Girl Can Teach Me Something New," and then Hans proved a scream in his version of "I Like Pickled Onions."

While the Commissioner, in a very effective manner, made everyone about him conscious of his authority he was quite timid when his better half, Mrs. Commissioner (Catharine McDonagh) made her appearance on the stage. The latter made it known that she was the one who looked after the man who was looking after the city. Mrs. Commissioner sang very nicely "You Can't Keep a Good Girl Down," while the Commissioner and Hans led the chorus in "I Want to Holiday With the Girls."

The second act opened with Hans having a "delightful" time with the shop girls, and then Vera and Buster held the spotlight for the major portion of the time. These two performers teamed well together and drew forth many a laugh from the audience. Marie McLaughlin's mirror song was warmly received, and Hans drew forth hearty applause by his singing of "Something Devilish Wrong." Vera and Buster sang of several dreams and fancies and figured "Wouldn't It Be Lovely?" if they should come true.

Picnicking at Mayne Island

The final act depicted the pleasures of picnicking on Mayne Island. The scenery for this number was splendid, and showed Plumper's Pass, Mayne Island, and the C. P. R. Princess upon which the merrymakers had sailed to the recreation rendezvous, lying along the wharf. The Commissioner and the store girls were having a lovely time together until Mrs. Commissioner, who it was thought had missed the boat to the Island, bobs up and rescues her husband from the wiles of the "younger" girls. Reginald Hincks, as a Victoria policeman, carries out his part in the show splendidly, and jumps around quickly when ordered by Mrs. Commissioner. Ernie Petch creates loads of fun in his singing of "On De Schnitza Komleky," and the "Bolshevik Love" chorus was very nifty to say the least.

Marie McLaughlin, the possessor of a very clear and beautiful voice, sang excellently several pleasing songs, including "Golden Isle" and "Love," both of which gave much pleasure to the audience. The several dancing turns given by Peggy Lewis and Will Marshall went over fine, and the audience called for more. Bob Webb and Ernie Petch were headliners throughout, and they particularly acted their parts well.

The show was splendid in every particular, and should run before packed houses during the balance of the present week.

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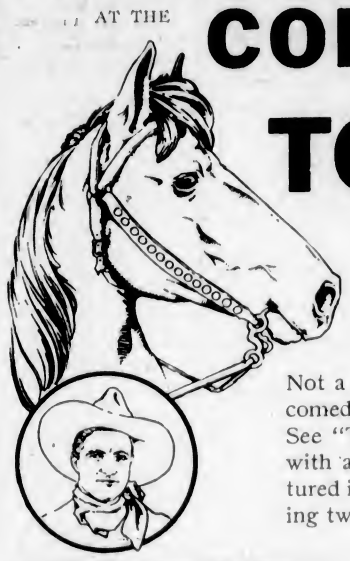

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ROYAL

ALL NEXT WEEK

A First National Picture

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NORMA TALMADGE

—IN—

"THE VOICE FROM THE MINARET"

ACCURACY DOMINATES MONTE CRISTO FILM AT DOMINION MONDAY

Actual employment in the House of Lords, when a small boy, enabled Gaston Glass, who has the role of Albert in the William Fox production, "Monte Cristo," to correct a mistake due to the reversal of a photographic plate from which the studio set was being made.

The set represented the House of Lords. All was in readiness for the shooting of the scenes in which the peers are assembled to try one of their colleagues.

Emmett J. Flynn, who was directing, was interrupted just before the cameramen started cranking, by Mr. Glass, who said:

"I think, if you will permit me to say so, that the inkwell of the presiding peer and the judge advocate should be on the other side of their desks."

"But they are on the other side of the desk in the photographs we have from Paris, Mr. Glass," said Mr. Flynn.

"Then I must dispute the photographs," said Mr. Glass. "I am confident they are wrong because for four years I had the task of filling those inkwells. I was a page in the House of Lords. The photographic plate may have been reversed, Mr. Flynn."

Mr. Flynn laughed and said he could not dispute Mr. Glass' declaration. Later he thanked him earnestly for the correction, inasmuch as much time and money was spent in perfecting the reproduction of this famous hall. Mr. William Fox authorized Mr. Flynn to make an exact duplicate of this historic place, and Mr. Flynn was able to do so at a cost of $15,000 alone for the carpenter work. Great care was taken in the construction, for it is in this historic chamber that "Monte Cristo" unmasks the second of his enemies.

This scene is one of the most thrilling in the entire Fox production of "Monte Cristo," which will be seen at the Dominion Theatre, commencing Monday.

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DOMINION

ALL NEXT WEEK

WILLIAM FOX presents

MONTE CRISTO

Directed by Emmett J. Flynn

Scenario by Bernard McConville

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Vancouver Island

SPRING ACTIVITIES AT CAMPBELL RIVER

CAMPBELL RIVER, March 23.—Mr. J. Cope was down from Forbes Landing on Tuesday, in the new Forbes Hotel bus, with trailer attached. This bus will hold a number of passengers, and Mr. Forbes is getting ready for the season's rush, which will no doubt be greater than ever, to the centre of the finest hunting and fishing ground in British Columbia. The bus has been provided with a special body, the work of Mr. George Parker.

The Oyster Bay junior baseball team, having challenged the Campbell River boys' nine to battle on the diamond, and the challenge having been accepted, some lively games are sure to result. Miss Esther Nash, Oyster Bay's popular school teacher, is the principal coach of the "Oysters."

The usual Saturday night dance will take place in the Pavilion the last evening of the week, under the management of C. H. Fitzgerald.

The Rev. Alan Greene, of the Columbia Coast Mission, Quathiaski Cove, gave an excellent moving picture show at the Pavilion on Thursday night last. There were sixty people present, who were more than pleased and hope that Mr. Greene will give Campbell River a treat soon again.

New Meeting Place

Rev. R. C. Scott returned last week from Vancouver, and held service at the Annex on Sunday afternoon. Both Mr. O. Wrennall, of Vancouver, and Mr. A. C. Scott, of Toronto, sang sacred solos, and the last Sunday service in the little room at the Annex was marked by most hearty and harmonious singing of some of the old favorite hymn tunes. This room is now required by the new management, and new quarters will have to be found. In the interim, Mr. C. H. Fitzgerald has kindly placed the Pavilion at the disposal of Rev. R. C. Scott for his Easter Sunday evening service.

The fortnightly meeting of the Campbell River Community Choral Society took place at the home of Mrs. Chas. Thulin, on Wednesday night, with Rev. R. C. Scott conducting.

The roads are still dusty at Campbell River, but that is better than snow, the last of which went a month ago.

Easter Sunday services will be conducted in the Anglican Church by Rev. Alan Greene on Sunday morning.

Mr. Sid Hage returned home to Campbell River on Friday from Vancouver. He has sold his motorboat, the Onaway, to Ernie Marshall, and is going to have another gasboat built for himself this Summer by E. Painter. Mr. Marshall is about to have the Onaway overhauled and repainted, and will soon be issuing invitations to his many friends to go assiling with him.

The Saturday night dance at the Pavilion was attended by some sixty dancers, and Oyster Bay, Quathiaski Cove, Duncan Bay and vicinity were well represented. As usual, it was a jolly good time.

LANGFORD

LANGFORD, March 27.—An excellent attendance of Women's Institute members was present at their monthly meeting this afternoon held at the residence of Mrs. D. B. F. Bullen.

The secretary had several letters to read to the members, who expressed willingness to assist financially the Institute stall held at the Hudson's Bay Store. The secretary of the social committee asked for the support of the members to run a Spring flower show, etc., on June 2. Mrs. Maclachlan, secretary of the British Columbia Women's Institute, kindly came to address the meeting in place of Miss Helen Stewart, who was ill. Mrs. Maclachlan read an excellent paper on "Home Economics" written by Miss Ethel Chapman, of Ontario, in which comparison was drawn between a town residence and the ordinary country home in the matter of conveniences. She urged the country woman to fight for her rights in such matters and so save her time and endurance. The warm thanks of the members were given to Mrs. I. S. Maclachlan for her helpful talk, and it was decided to have an evening meeting at the end of April when she would again visit Langford with friends from the department to show lantern slides on British Columbia products. Each member was given an interrogative paper on the subject with questions such as "In your daily buying do you ask for foreign products?" "Will you furnish a list of goods produced in British Columbia which to your knowledge are not up to the standard and quality of similar foreign-made articles?" etc., etc.

A delicious tea served by the hostess concluded the pleasant afternoon.

NANAIMO EVENTS

Native Daughters Visited by Provincial Official—Presentations Made of Unique Bracelets

NANAIMO, March 23.—Mrs. Paul Smith, Grand Factoress of Native Daughters, Vancouver, paid an official visit to the local lodge last evening. After the regular business session of the lodge a social evening was indulged in, during the course of which Mrs. Smith was presented with a unique silver bracelet, quaintly carved by a local Indian, the whole bracelet being made from a silver fifty-cent piece. A silver bracelet had also been prepared for Miss Morrison, Grand Secretary, but owing to the late departure of the boat from Vancouver Miss Morrison did not make the trip. The bracelet, however, will be forwarded to her with compliments of the local lodge.

Later the assemblage adjourned to the banqueting rooms, where refreshments were partaken of, the toast list being as follows: "The King," proposed by Mrs. W. W. Gray, and responded to by singing the National Anthem; "Our Country," proposed by Miss I. Johnson, responded to by Miss Smith; "Our Guests," proposed by Mrs. Cameron, responded to by Mrs. Smith; "Pioneers," proposed by Mrs. Martindale, responded to by Mrs. Cameron. Mrs. C. J. Trawford and Mrs. W. W. Gray rendered two splendid solos during the evening.

The Grand Lodge of Native Daughters will meet in Nanaimo early in the month of May this year.

After several weeks spent in undergoing repairs at Victoria, the SS. Princess Patricia resumed her regular run this morning.

Slight Fire

A fire in an outbuilding at the rear of the residence of Mr. Donnachie, Nicol Street, last night, did damage to the extent of fifty dollars. The origin of the blaze is unknown.

At a meeting of the Federal baseball team last evening, officers were elected as follows: Honorary president, A. J. Smith; honorary vice-president, J. Quennell; president, L. C. Young; vice-president, Cyril Piper; secretary, F. Rowbottom; treasurer, L. Johnson; manager, P. Piper; assistant manager, C. Quennell; coach, R. Dickinson.

W. C. T. U. Work

Members of the local W. C. T. U. paid a visit to the Indian Mission Hall on the Reserve yesterday afternoon, where an entertaining programme had been prepared by Mrs. Bool, superintendent of Indian work, assisted by Mrs. Jessop. Intervening between the programme and the serving of tea, an instructive discourse was given by Miss Ozborn, the Red Cross nurse, dealing with some important problems of child welfare and also outlining her work in the community, which was most interesting. Tea was then served and a social time spent.

CUMBERLAND NOTES

CUMBERLAND, March 27.—The regular monthly meeting of the Trinity Church Council was held in the vicarage on Monday evening at 8 o'clock, the Rev. W. Leversedge in the chair. The financial report was submitted by the wardens, and the question of the vicarage repairs was gone into and was postponed until the next meeting.

The Busy Bee Club members were presented on Friday by Rev. W. Leversedge and Miss C. Richardson design. About a dozen members from six to eleven years attended. Mrs. Seversedge and Miss C. Richardson are the teachers.

Says Herr Hugo Stinnes Is Short of Ready Money

LONDON, March 23.—The Rome correspondent of The Times says the object of Hugo Stinnes' conversations with Judge Gary and Fred I. Kent, of the Bankers Trust Company, of New York, was to sell for cash Stinnes' Austrian properties which he acquired from the Italian Ilva Company some years ago. Herr Stinnes, the correspondent continues, is very short of ready money, and he is being pressed to pay up on his unfortunate shipping speculation in which he bought nearly £2,000,000 worth of tonnage at £20 per ton, which is now worth only about £7. His secondary object was to discover the practical meaning of the resolution on reparations passed by the International Chamber of Commerce.

Made Good Amount Paid In Spurious U. S. Bills

VANCOUVER, March 23.—"There is certainly no guilty knowledge on the part of the accused in this case," said Magistrate Shaw, when acquitting P. E. Sullivan of a charge of having counterfeit bills in his possession.

Evidence for the prosecution showed that Sullivan floated a large amount in spurious American $20 bills while playing in a card game with friends.

Immediately after the game the worthlessness of the money was discovered, and the accused at once made good the losses, taking up the forged bills.

Must Provide for Family Before Leaving England

LONDON, March 23.—Every effort will be made to ensure that no married man will be assisted to proceed overseas in connection with the Empire settlement scheme in advance of his wife and family, unless he has made proper provision for his dependents until they are able to join him.

A statement to this effect was made by Lieutenant-Colonel Albert Buckley, Secretary of the Department of Overseas Trade, in the House of Commons today. Steps were being taken, he said, with a view to facilitating prospective settlers who are married being accompanied by their wives and families to the Dominions.

If Your Stomach Isn't Acting Right Begin Taking Salts

Pimples Are Impurities Seeking an Outlet Through Skin Pores.

Pimples, sores and boils usually result from toxins, poisons and impurities which are generated in the bowels and then absorbed into the blood through the very ducts which should absorb only nourishment to sustain the body.

It is the function of the kidneys to filter impurities from the blood and cast them out in the form of urine, but in many instances the bowels create more toxins and impurities than the kidneys can eliminate; then the blood uses the skin pores as the next best means of getting rid of these impurities, which often break out all over the skin in the form of pimples.

The surest way to clear the skin of these eruptions, says a noted authority, is to get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water each morning before breakfast for one week. This will help prevent the formation of toxins in the bowels. It also stimulates the kidneys, thus coaxing them to filter the blood of impurities and clearing the skin of pimples.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia. Here you have a pleasant, effervescent drink which usually helps make pimples disappear. (Advt.)

Easter Economies At Gordons Today

Three Glove Specials

Fine Chamoisette Gloves, with contrasting turn-back cuffs, in black, white and all popular shades. Price $1.00

Two-Button Length, in large variety of wanted shades; beautifully finished. Price 75¢

Perrin's Fine French Kid Gloves, two-button, black, brown, navy, white, grey, beaver and champagne; self and contrasting points. Price, per pair $1.95

Fine Bloomers, 95c and $1.25

Fine Mercerized Mull or Colored Crepe, elastic waist and knee. Splendid value.

Just Received, Large Shipment Children's Reefers

Pure wool garments, in navy and scarlet serge, double breasted style, with emblems; sizes 2 to 14 years, $5.95 to $9.50

Imported Silk Jumpers, Price $10.95 to $12.95

Just the daintiest styles you ever saw. We feel enthusiastic about these wonderfully artistic little creations, just arrived. Hand-crocheted neck and sleeves; colors, black, champagne, kingfisher blue, slove grey and cocoa. $10.95 to $12.95

Voile Waists, $1.98

Fine sheer materials, trimmed lace and tucking, Peter Pan collars. Very snappy styles; all sizes.

Silk and Wool Novelty Pullover Sweaters

All popular plain shades and stripe combinations and the new Egyptian Oriental colorings, at $2.50 to $8.50

Super Values in Dress Goods

38-Inch Novelty Voiles, a large range of patterns and colorings; values to 89c. Yard, 49¢

28-inch Cream Tennis Flannel, a good weight that will wash well; regular $1.98. Per yard $1.59

30-inch Novelty Wool Delaine, splendid quality, in smart designs; regular $1.65. Per yard $1.19

40-inch Check and Stripe Sports Flannel, a good weight for suits, skirts and children's wear. A real bargain. Per yard ..... 95¢

SALE OF

Taffeta Dresses at $22.00

Values to $39.50

Guaranteed taffetas in black, brown, navy, etc. All this season's latest snappy styles, attractively trimmed with ruffles, lace, ribbons, flowers and flouncings. These delightful garments will go on sale today for the first time. See window display. All sizes.

New Silky Tricosham Dresses $45.00 to $59.50

Wonderful values, free hanging, slender lines wrought from this silken fabric which is so supple and so firm in weave. The newest authoritative styles are expressed in these models. Suitable for larger women who demand distinctive dresses.

Girls' Smart Silk Dresses Formerly $16.00 Now $10.00

These are new stylish models for girls up to 14 years. Guaranteed taffeta in popular shades with pretty flouncings. Extraordinary value at this low price.

Sports Coats In Popular Styles $12 and $19.50

The surprising feature of these model Coats is the inconsistent low price in conjunction with the high grade all-wool materials and smart style effects. Polo cloths, camels' hair and fancy mixtures are shown in the leading shades.

New Easter Suits at $23.50 Are Very Low Priced

You would never judge them in this class by their appearance. Fine quality navy tricotine material, in tailored styles and box coats, silk embroidered, with the new Peter Pan collars.

Millinery in Great Variety At Popular Prices

Large, Medium and Small Hats, trimmed and tailored, for sport and dress wear. Hats of tomorrow shown today. Chic models in hair cloth, hair braid, changeable taffeta, etc., artistically trimmed with flowers, feathers, ribbons, etc. Some pretty Paisley patterns.

Ready-to-Wears, $2.95 to $10.00

Trimmed Models, $7.95 to $15.00

Items From the Staple Section

36-inch White Cambric, for general household use. Yard 30c

36-inch White Nainsook, fine even weave. Yard 25c

36-inch Horrockses' Madapollam extra quality; regular 50c. Yard 43c

30-inch Cotton Crèpes, best quality, large selection of plain colors and stripes. Yard 29c

27-inch English Ginghams, in plaid and check designs. Yard 25c

38-inch Novelty Voiles, in choice designs. Yard 29c

36-inch Lace Voiles, fine quality, in plain colors. Yard 85c

32-inch Lingerie Crepe, in butterfly and blue bird designs. Extra fine. Yard 45c

38-inch Ratine, in plain colors. Splendid wearing and washing quality. Yard 75c

House Dresses, $1.00 Each

Strong quality factory cotton, with colored denim trimming and piping, kimono style, with belt and pockets. Many other styles in percale, gingham, chambray and crepe. Attractively priced at $3.95

Novelty Veils

Mona Lisa Veils, in square mesh style. Special value, 50¢

Novelty Veils, plain and with colored chenille spots. Price $1.00 to $3.50

Corsets, Sports Model, $1.25 Special

Novelty style of pink batiste, elastic top, back lacing, four suspenders.

Easter Hand Bags in Many Styles

Vanity Boxes, shown in a variety of styles and sizes; well lined and fitted with novelty accessories at prices from 75c up to $4.95

The New Pouch Bag, popular and dressy; comes in brown, grey, blue and black leather, also black silk. Exceptional values at $2.25, $2.50, $3.95 and $4.50

Novelty Bead Necklaces, a choice of various designs and colors; black and white, red and black, coral and black, jade, green, red and amber. Prices ranging from 25c to $2.75

English Sweater Wool, 7 Balls for $1.00

4-Ply. Good selection of colors.

Special Values in Harvey's Spring Underwear

Ladies' Combinations, short sleeves or strap shoulders. Special $1.20

Ladies' Vests, opera strap and short sleeves. Special from 50c to ..... 95¢

Ladies' Bloomers, in pink and white; all sizes. Special, 69¢

Children's Vests, all sizes. Special, 23c to ..... 55¢

New Novelty Ribbons

Wide Dresden Ribbon, in heavy quality; light and dark colors. Specially priced at 50c and ..... 59¢

Dresden Ribbon in neat design suitable for hair ribbons; comes in pink, rose, blue, mauve and maize; regular price 29c. On sale at ..... 25¢

Novelty Ribbon, in colors of blue, sand, maize, tango and black, with gold tints showing. This makes a dainty trimming ribbon for dresses or millinery, at, a yard, 20¢

Specials in Silks

38-inch Silk Mixture Ratine, pink, orchid, sand, grey, saxe, Luxor, lemon, old rose, henna and white. Yard $1.75

42-inch Satin Canton, a beautiful rich fabric with a crepe wool back, mid grey, fawn, nut brown, white, navy and black. Per yard $3.95

40-inch Silk Crepe de Chine, in fine quality; big range of colors. Per yard $1.95

SMOKE OGDEN'S CUT PLUG

Muriel Wins Through

By GUY THORNE—Author of "When It Was Dark"

CHAPTER V

"What I want to be sure of is, my dear boy, are you quite certain you haven't made a mistake?"

"In what way, exactly, Father?"

"Are you not possibly mistaking a fancy, a passing attraction for love? Have you questioned yourself deeply?"

"I have made a good many mistakes in my life I know," said Charles Atlee. "I have been impulsive when I ought to have been cautious, I have plunged into things without weighing the cost. But this is different. This is once and for all. I know, Father, without possibility of mistake, that if I don't marry this girl I shall marry no one at all."

It was ten days after Charles had met his father in Kensington Gardens. Now, the Maison Juliette knew him no more. He had served out his last week there, the same grave, discreet man-servant he had always been. Nothing that Madame Juliette could say or do would keep him. His only explanation for leaving was "urgent private affairs," and he departed without anyone learning any more about him thaat they knew at first. Miss Simpson might languish and shed a few private tears. Madame might gesticulate and swear that she could never get another lacquais so suitable, but Charles Smith passed out of Tracy Street, silent and respectful to the last.

The prodigal son—though he had not been very prodigal—had returned. Charles was once more an inhabitant of his father's house in Belgrave Square, deeds of partnership were preparing—for he was already an admitted solicitor—and Charles' literary ambition was a thing of the past.

He had another ambition now, to take its place—not legal.

The two men in evening dress, were sitting in the handsome old-fashioned dining-room over their port. Sir Augustus was smoking a cigar, his son a cigarette, and he had just told his father of his love.

It was an immense relief to do so, and there was now confidence between them as there had not been in the past. The young man felt that he need not have a single thought which his father was not glad to share.

"You might," Sir Augustus said, "marry anyone with the money that will be yours and your other advantages there are few girls in London to whom you might not aspire. But my one hope and wish in life is to see you happy. Now that you have come back to me and I know that the firm will continue under your care, nothing else matters. If your heart is irrevocably given to this young lady, then so be it. Remember, that by a strange coincidence I have met her, and was alone with her for several hours. I am not a man to be mistaken in a girl at my time of life. She is good and innocent. Intellectually, I should say considerably above the average."

Charles laughed a little.

"But that's a catalogue, Father," he said. "It sounds quite cold-blooded. Why she's the loveliest girl in England."

"Indeed, she is very fair," said the old gentleman, musingly, "a veritable daughter of the gods!"

He sipped his glass of port and looked over it at Charles with a twinkle in his eyes. "All the same," he said, "now don't get angry my dear boy, it would be more satisfactory if we knew whose daughter she is, wouldn't it?"

It was delicately said, and Charles appreciated that. He knew very well that in proposing to make a girl, without known antecedents, the future Lady Atlee, he was stretching the complaisance of a man of his father's eminence pretty far.

"Thank you, Sir," he responded. "I know very well that, on the face of it, I seem to be doing an absolutely mad thing."

"So most of my friends and contemporaries, men of my own age and standing would say," Sir Augustus remarked.

"I know, and I appreciate your attitude all the more. There's a most extraordinary mystery about Miss St. Pierre. But mysteries were made to be solved."

"I am glad at any rate," said Sir Augustus, "that the young lady is no longer at that horrible bonnet shop in Bond Street. Solicitors hear strange things as you know, Charles. That place has a very bad reputation among those who really know."

Charles nodded. "I was not there for six months," he said, "without several eye-openers, and I am more than glad that Muriel"—he said the name with a little hesitation and a slight flush—"has gone to live with Lady Stonehaven, though I was never more surprised in my life when I heard of it. It's all of a piece with the whole enigma. She seems to be the victim of obscure and hidden forces."

He spoke very gravely, and Sir Augustus nodded with consent.

"Have you seen her since, night I ask?"

"No, Father, but I have written. She knows nothing of my real feeling for her, but we are friends, of that I am sure. She knows that I have given up the pretence at Maison Juliette, and that I have come back here. In a fortnight or so we shall meet, and then it won't be my fault if I don't know my fate as soon as possible."

He sighed as he said it.

"And why in a fortnight, Charles?"

"For this reason," he answered, touching his upper lip with a laugh.

Already an incipient dark moustache was showing there.

"You see," he went on, "I can't very well go about clean shaven. At any party, anywhere, I might meet someone to whom I have opened the door at that wretched place. Give me another fortnight—thank heavens I am dark and my hair grows quickly—and I shall have a respectable moustache, which will be an effective disguise, especially if I part my hair differently. It would never occur to anyone for a moment to suspect Charles the footman in Charles Atlee. At the most they would see nothing but a chance resemblance."

"Of course, I quite forgot all that. Well, my boy, we cannot spend the time better than putting our heads together and see what we can make of the mystery. Of course, it is more or less in my line, and I have ways of finding things out not open to everyone."

He passed the decanter to his son, leant back in his chair, and looked up at the ceiling, deep in thought.

"A few days ago," he said, "being three months over age, Miss St. Pierre—a French name, though she's English to the backbone—was running away from a remote country house. In a state of absolute terror."

Charles gave a quick sigh of sympathy.

"For three years," the calm legal voice went on, "for three years this girl had been caged up in this village. Her ostensible position was companion to the lady of the house. As a matter of fact, she had hardly any duties at all. All that seemed to matter was that she should be kept in seclusion, go nowhere, and see as few people from the outside world as possible. All these things she herself told me."

"I can see no light anywhere," said Charles hopelessly.

Sir Augustus went on unheeding the interruption.

"By a good fortune, in view of what recently happened, I myself saw the man from whom she was escaping, a man mark you, who had no legal right over her whatever, who had been trading upon her ignorance of the fact that she was a perfectly free agent to leave him if she wished. I saw that man, Charles, and if ever I set eyes on a black rogue, that was the man. I have come across some human devils in my day, I have been the means under Providence of hanging two or three as black and running rascals as ever walked the streets of London. But I tell you," he concluded with emphasis, "that the fat fellow, Mr. Rodney, of Marshlands, made even my experienced blood run cold. Our opinion of this fellow is abuntantly justified by what you have told me as to the death of that French woman's blackmailing, drunken old husband. I read, very carefully the report of the inquest in the local paper, and it is quite obvious how the thing was done, though, of course, there was no suspicion in the mind of either the coroner or the jury. Madame Juliette and this Rodney acted their parts with supreme skill. All the same I haven't a doubt that Viping was cleverly and quietly put out of the way—not much loss either. As far as we are concerned, it merely serves to confirm our opinion of Mr. Rodney, whose name, by the way, I can't help thinking I have heard before in some unsavoury connection."

"There's another thing we have to consider," said Charles. "Miss St. Pierre came to the Maison Juliette quite by chance. She told me all about it. She answered an advertisement, and was taken on at once. Now we find that Rodney is mixed up with Madame Juliette. If what we think is true, then it's quite obvious the fellow must be an old friend and confederate of the woman. We have to take that into consideration."

"Quite so. Well, there are facts, and they present a problem of extreme interest."

"What do you deduce from the facts, Father?"

"We cannot go very far without further information, but one thing is clear. In the first place, when she left the convent, Miss St. Pierre was sent, obviously by design, to Marshlands. That is to say, the Mother Superior of the convent must have been told of the situation that was waiting for her charge. We've got to find out by whom she was told. It is clear from what the girl has told you, that this situation was no ordinary one. It was created for her. It was meant that she should go there, and we at once come to the question of a motive."

"I see that, but we are very much in the dark."

"Quite so, Charles. But one thing is clear. Some person or persons wished to seclude this girl, to keep her out of ordinary life. For a reason which we cannot divine, these unknown people wished to practically imprison her. It must have been greatly to their interest to do so. Everything shows that. Why?"

Why, indeed.

"It would not be from any motive of revenge. We can dismiss that from our minds at once. Miss St. Pierre was a young girl who had done and could do no harm to anyone. No, her appearance might possibly threaten someone, upset some scheme, be extremely dangerous to the interests of those who were watching her and ordering her life."

"Of course, Father, and it therefore follows that this person or these persons are utterly unscrupulous and have some sinister secret to conceal."

"If you had seen the mingled rage and terror of that corpulent scoundrel when Miss St. Pierre escaped from him you would have no doubt at all as to that! We've got something to go upon, slight as it is, and there are three lines of inquiry. You must get the address of the convent in France, and someone must be sent to the Mother Superior, and she must be induced to tell all she knows. In all probability she is perfectly innocent of any conspiracy, and will speak freely. It may not be at the beginning of our inquiry that we shall learn everything, but I am persuaded that the key to the mystery, whatever it may prove to be, will be found in France."

"Secondly, I will immediately approach the firm of solicitors Miss St. Pierre mentioned to me as having to do with her affairs. I have had dealings with Messrs. Baldwin and Conway, and they will, I know, do their best to help me as far as it is compatible with professional discretion.

"Thirdly, and this is perhaps the most important of all, we must make every inquiry into the antecedents of the man Rodney. We want to know why he kept this girl as he did. It is probable that he was paid to do so, almost certain indeed. But we must find out who paid him, and also, if we can, whether he knows or doesn't know the reason that is behind it all."

"I will write to Muriel," Charles said, "asking her various questions. I know that she will reply at once, and that she will be as anxious to clear away the clouds that surround her as we are. Or perhaps, better still, I'll ask her to meet me. We can go to some out of the way place where neither of us is likely to be recognized." His face lit up at the prospect, and Sir Augustus smiled quietly to himself.

"That will be best," he said, "and no doubt she can easily get away. By the way, I have no doubt that Miss St. Pierre will be perfectly happy with Lady Stonehaven, who I hear on all sides, is a good and generous-hearted girl. I don't like the house she is in, though. One hears things, of course, and everyone is astonished that the Downger Countess should have entrusted her daughter to such people as the Mayberlies."

Charles frowned.

"There's a young cub of a son," he said, "who, they say will mary the Countess. He insulted Miss St. Pierre at the Maison Juliette one day, and I had to knock him down." Charles told his father of the incident in the waiting-room.

"Disgusting! But I don't suppose Miss St. Pierre will be subjected to anything of that sort with the Countess, especially if the young blackguard had designs on her, as everyone says."

"What do you actually know of the Mayberlies, Father?"

Sir Augustus shrugged his shoulders.

"Nothing good," he said. "The man is a shady financier in very bad odor with all the reputable and solid city people. He has made a great deal of money by methods so close to swindling that there's not a pin to choose between them, though he's cunning enough to keep the right side of the law. But I hear he's getting very shaky."

"I have heard that, too."

"Oh, it's common knowledge, and it stands to reason that the son's marriage with Lady Stonehaven means everything to these people. That, however, doesn't affect Miss St. Pierre in any way. She won't go into society at all, and she won't meet some of the very queer people that frequent the house in Berkley Square. Now what I propose is....."

He stopped short, for the door opened and the butler entered.

"Mr. Scotson, Sir Augustus," the man said.

"Oh, yes, I had forgotten."

Sir Augustus turned to Charles.

"Scotson has been preparing a brief," he said, "which I want to look through before it goes to counsel, as it is rather important. He stayed behind at the office to do it, and I asked him to bring it to me on his way home. I think we must have him in for a moment."

"By all means, Father," and Mr. Scotson, the managing clerk of the firm, was shown in.

He was a short, dapper, clean-shaved man of fifty, with curly hair, and a quiet manner.

"Now sit down, sit down, my dear fellow," said Sir Augustus, "you will have a glass of port, I know. It's Jubilee, a good character wine. Charles, pass the cigars to Mr. Scotson."

The little man drew up his chair to the table with a pleased smile. He lifted his glass and drank. "To the return of Mr. Charles to the office, if I may be allowed,' he said with a bow. "Mr. Charles, sir, it's rejoiced my heart to see you with us again."

"I am glad to be back too, Mr. Scotson," the young man said heartily. "I hope I have sown my wild oats, and am going to settle down to the law."

"In a few weeks time," said Mr. Scotson, "you won't be able to think of anything else. People may say what they like, but there's nothing like law! It's the most entrancing pursuit a man can have, and it's in your blood, Mr. Charles, as I know very well. Your remarks upon those pleadings yesterday, though I didn't venture to say anything then, showed me at once. 'A chip of the old block,' I said, meaning no offence, Sir Augustus, and if I don't know a born solicitor when I see one, my name is not James Scotson."

Sir Augustus and his faithful clerk discussed their business for a few minutes while Charles smoked in silence. When the conversation was finished, he filled the clerk's glass.

"I suppose, Mr. Scotson," said he, "that in your career you have come across a good many famous criminals?"

"You may well say so, Mr. Charles, though not perhaps exactly what you mean by criminals. Not the Charles Peace type I mean."

"Oh, nor did I. I mean the upper class rogue, the gentleman who only very rarely makes an appearance in the Courts, the society blackmailer and so forth; the men and women who live in style, and whom the ordinary person never suspects for what they are."

"That's just the class of persons Mr. Charles, that I have had to deal with all my life. There's hardly one of them with whom I have not come in contact during my life in the law. My ten years with Bayne and Bascombe and my twenty years with Sir Augustus have brought me in contact with nearly every one of the upper class criminals in London. I think I may safely say so, Sir Augustus?"

"As far as our practice is concerned, Scotson, you are quite right."

The little man beamed at Charles "There you are," he seemed to say, "endorsed by the governor!"

"Well," he went on aloud, "I know four murderers at the present moment walking about London. One of them has a title, two of them are women, the other has a large house at Lancaster Gate and spends five thousand a year. I know these people are murderers. Sir Augustus knows, in the case of three of them, and what's more, Scotland Yard knows. But no power on earth can touch 'em. As for blackmail, I could startle the Metropolis if I told what I knew."

"By jove!" said Charles, throwing a deep and flattering interest into his voice. "Now I wonder, Mr. Scotson, if you have ever come across a man whose name is, or he calls himself, Paul Rodney? I don't think he is much in London, but he lives in a remote Kentish village, and is a sort of small squire there."

Mr. Scotson put his glass down with a bang.

"Of course he doesn't live much in London," he said triumphantly, "and for a very good reason. Ten years ago, if he had shown his face in the West End, he'd have been lynched. It's forgotten now, but he was the hero of a celebrated trial fifteen years back. I know now he calls himself Rodney, but his real name is Paul, Richard Paul."

"A scoundrel?"

"One of the best—worst, I mean, Mr. Charles. Cold-blooded as a pike and as cruel. He received five years penal servitude for nearly torturing a boy to death. The child had been placed in his care by some people who wanted to get rid of him, and it was only by the merest chance that what was going on was discovered. The poor little fellow was kept for nearly two years in a cellar, and treated worse than any beast. It was an abominable case in every way."

Sir Augustus, startled out of his usual placidity, gave a low whistle of surprise and consternation.

"Yes," the clerk continued, immensely pleased with the impression he was creating, "and more than that, Rodney was, and is now for all I know, more than suspected of blackmail upon a large scale. It was nearly proved that young Sir Thomas Bonville blew his brains out because of his extortions. There's not a thing that he hasn't been connected with in his day—bogus company promoting, turf frauds—everything. But, with the exception of the cruelty case, he has always been too clever for the police. They know what he is, but they have never been able to actually bring him into the dock."

"Thank you very much, Mr. Scotson. I have a special reason for enquiring."

"Quite so, Mr. Charles," said the clerk, who, whatever he may have thought, had learnt never to show himself inquisitive. "Any time you should want facts or details about this gentleman, you come to me."

"This may be of considerable help to us," said Sir Augustus. "Thank you very much, Scotson."

Mr. Scotson rose and said good-night, and father and son were left alone, looking at each other strangely.

"I say, this thickens the plot!" said Charles.

"We are getting under the surface," was the answer, "and I fear what we may discover. But one thing is certain. I feel sure you will agree with me, we must sift this thing to the bottom. It is your duty to yourself, Charles, and to me."

"I propose," the young man answered, "to devote myself to it utterly. As you say, sir, for your sake, and also for Muriel's. I am certain that she is not to blame in any way. I am certain that when this is all cleared up you will not refuse to take her as your daughter. If I had the slightest doubt of that, my course would be different. But, since I love her, more than anything else in the world, my duty is perfectly clear."

"And you have me and all my influence at your back, Charles," said Sir Augustus, stretching out his hand to his son. "Poor child, poor child! I can see her now, telling me everything so simply and confidingly."

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A "Danderine Beauty Treatment" will immediately double the attractiveness of your hair. Just moisten a cloth with Danderine and draw it carefully through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; this will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt or any excessive oil—in a few minutes you will be amazed. Your hair will be wavy, fluffy and possess an incomparable softness, lustre and really appear twice as thick and abundant—a mass of luxuriant, glinty, colorful hair.

Besides beautifying the hair, Danderine eradicates dandruff, invigorates the scalp, stopping itching and falling hair.

Danderine is the best, cheapest and most delightful hair corrective and tonic. It is to the hair what fresh showers of rain are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, vitalizes and strengthens them. Its stimulating properties help the hair to grow long, heavy, strong.

You can surely have beautiful hair, and lots of it, if you will spend 25 cents for a bottle of Danderine at any drug store or toilet counter. It is not greasy, oily or sticky. (Advt.)

Suffered So FROM HEART AND NERVES Life Was a Burden

Mr. H. A. Lee, Beamsville, Ont., writes:—"I am delighted to let you know what I have to say regarding the good Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills did me.

"A short time ago I suffered with heart and nerve trouble, and was so bad I could not sleep, only about two hours each night. My heart was so bad I had spells when driving on the road and would faint away, and neighbors would carry me in from my wagon. I also took these spells in the night and during my daily work on the farm. My nerves were so bad I would jump out of bed, and was than compelled to walk the floor before I could settle down; again, but after taking a few boxes of

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills

I can honestly say I am a relieved man. I now feel in the best of health, in fact, the best I've been in for three years, and can do any class of work with pleasure where before life was a burden to me."

Price 50c a box at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont. (Advt.)

RED PEPPER FOR RHEUMATIC PAIN

Red Pepper Rub takes the "ouch" from sore, stiff, aching joints. It cannot hurt you, and it certainly stops that old rheumatism torture at once.

When you are suffering so you can hardly get around, just try Red Pepper Rub and you will have the quickest relief known. Nothing has such concentrated, penetrating heat as red peppers. Just as soon as you apply Red Pepper Rub you will feel the tingling heat. In three minutes it warms the sore spot through and through. Pain and soreness are gone.

Ask any good druggist for a jar of Rowles Red Pepper Rub. Be sure to get the genuine, with the name Rowles on each package. (Advt.)

Canadian Cheese Prices Jump With Brisk Demand

LONDON, March 28.—Lieut.-Col. A. Buckley, secretary to the Overseas Trade Department, replying to a question in the House yesterday, said that though he did not observe any important decrease in the recorded imports of cheese during the last month for which returns had been issued, or during the last three months, he understood there was a decrease in cheese last season, and that competition from other buyers for the available Canadian supplies has had an effect on the price.

The wholesale price of cheese had risen during the last few weeks, he said. The rise had been reflected in the increase of a penny a pound in the retail price.

APPLY SULPHUR ON YOUR ECZEMA SKIN

Costs Little and Overcomes Trouble Almost Overnight

Any breaking out of the skin, even fiery, itching eczema, can be quickly overcome by applying Mentho-Sulphur, declares a noted skin specialist. Because of its germ destroying properties, this sulphur preparation instantly brings ease from skin irritation, soothes and heals the eczema right up and leaves the skin clear and smooth.

It seldom fails to relieve torment without delay. Sufferers from skin trouble should obtain a small jar of Rowles Mentho-Sulphur from any good druggist and use it like cold cream. (Advt.)

Spring Cleaning Time Is Painting Time

MAPLE LEAF M-L WHITE

"M. L." Paints are PURE Paints—and economical to use. For inside and outside "M. L." Paints are the favorite.

Isn't there a floor or other woodwork about your house that would look lots better if freshened up with a little good paint?

Whether you do the job yourself or have a painter, "M. L." Paints go further.

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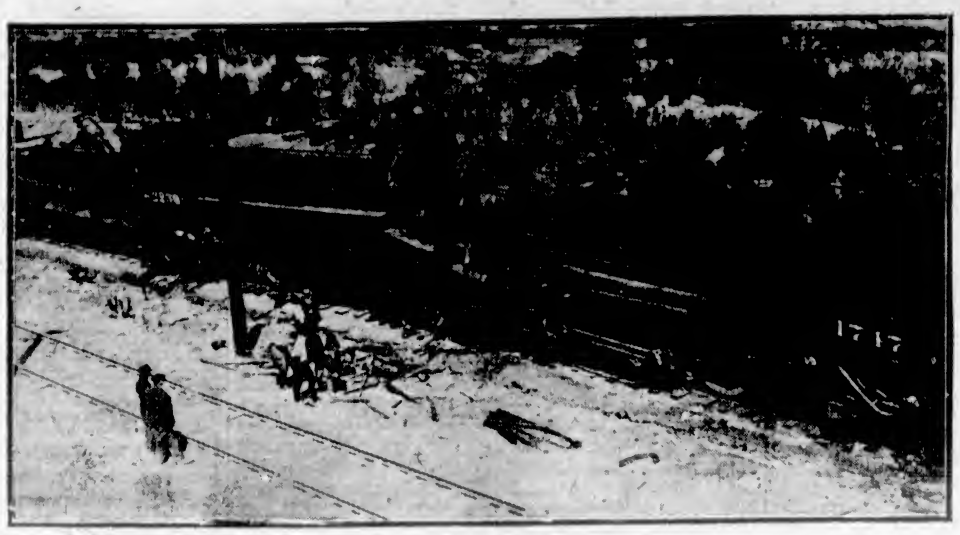


A photo taken a few minutes after a head-on collision on the Northern Pacific Railway near Boise, Idaho. Though both trains were wrecked, no one was killed.

Charles M. Schwab, noted steel magnate, who was taken ill during a visit and has been forced to return home.

Princess Ileana of Rumania, though only 14 years of age is already reported engaged to King Boris of Bulgaria. The marriage is to be for "the good of the state."

Miss Leola Rose of Los Angeles, who is to be sent to Europe to show the people of the continent what is meant by the phrase, "An American beauty."

The guardian of all Todmorden kiddies, a magnificent St. Bernard.

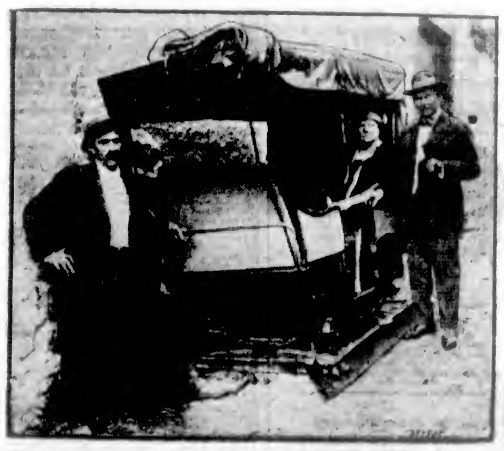
Sir Samuel Hoare, chief of the British air ministry, asserts that by 1925 France will have four times as great an air force as Britain.

Germany is beginning to learn the pleasures of ice boating. During the winter hundreds took up the sport.

Mollie and Joe, two Seattle Polar bears, have blasted the theory that music hath charms. They listened to a few strains of popular jazz on the phonograph in their cage and then smashed the machine.

What is believed to be the petrified body of an Indian or Mound Builder. It was found on the bank of Mill Creek, near Cincinnati, by Duncan Pfau.

Miss Dolores Dixon, 19-year-old girl, who is seeking $50,000 heart balm from Babe Ruth. Ruth says it is a case of blackmail.



Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the U. S. Steel Corporation, with Mrs. Gary in Funchak, Madeira. They are out joy-riding in a Madeira taxi.

Housekeeping in Africa. Types of Rhodesian women.

Mr. Justice Romer, an English judge, who has suggested that suitable music be used to brighten up law courts.

Nan, a racing sheep from the White Mountains, recently made 100 yards in 14 seconds. She is shown with her inseparable pal, Young Cabel, a black stallion.

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One and one-half cents a word each insertion, nine cents a word a week, with a minimum of 12 words; cash with order. No advertisement accepted for less than twenty-five cents.

Death and Funeral Notices, $1.50 first insertion, $1.00 for each additional insertion. Marriages, Cards of Thanks and In Memoriam Notices, $1.50 per insertion.

Birth Notices, $1.00 per insertion.

Business or Professional Cards, of four lines or under, $5.00 per month. Additional space at $1.25 per line per month.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

DEATHS

SIMMONDS—On March 27, 1923, in this city, Elizabeth, beloved wife of Albert Edward Simmonds, aged 50 years, born in Kingshill, Buckinghamshire, England. The deceased is survived by, besides her husband, one daughter, Mrs. R. W. Borden, at Whaletown, B.C., and four grandchildren; also four sisters, Miss M. Busby, Miss A. Busby, and Mrs. G. M. Wilson, all in Victoria, and Mrs. F. Baldwin, in England.

The remains are reposing at the chapel of the B. C. Funeral Company, whence the funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon, at 2:15, proceeding to the Emmanuel Baptist Church, where service will be conducted at 2:30. Interment in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

GARDINER—On March 24th, at Alberni Hospital, Charles John Gardiner, aged 36 years, born in Muskoka, Ontario, and a resident of this city for the past eighteen years. Deceased is survived by, besides his widow, one daughter and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gardiner, all residing at 1115 Vining Street, also two brothers, L. J. Gardiner, of Strathcona, Manitoba, and Allan Gardiner, of Bracebridge, Ont., two sisters, Mrs. H. St. John, of Saskatchewan, and Mrs. R. Bracebridge, of Ontario.

The funeral will take place on Thursday, the 29th inst., at 4 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel, the Rev. Wm. Stevenson officiating. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

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PROMPT, EFFICIENT SERVICE DAY OR NIGHT
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1612 QUADRA STREET
Lady in Attendance
Phones: Office 3306 Res. 6032 and 7053

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734 Broughton Street Established 1867
CALLS responded to day or night. Charges reasonable. Embalming for shipment a specialty. Lady attendant.
Phones: 2235, 2236, 6657, 1773R
Reginald Hayward, Secretary
Frederick Caselton, Manager

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The sorrow of death can be greatly relieved by having all details in the hands of one capable of rendering you the high standard of service you want.
Someone capable, with experience, whose presence is never felt but who is always there when needed.
Such is the service we render.
Funeral Home:
Corner Johnson and Vancouver Streets
Phone 383.

THOMSON FUNERAL HOME
THE HOME OF SERVICE. Prices reasonable. Calls promptly attended to, night or day.
Phone 498 1325 Quadra Street

ANNOUNCEMENTS 1

DAUGHTERS of England Rummage Sale, Saturday morning, ten thirty, 555 Johnson Street.

QUEEN Alexandra Review bazaar this afternoon, Richardson's Store, Yates Street. Easter novelties, plain and fancy work for sale. Afternoon tea.

UNDER the auspices of St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society Ladies' Auxiliary, a grand concert and dance will be held in the Caledonia Hall, View St., on Thursday, 29th March, at 8 p.m. Dancing from 10 p.m. to 1 a.m. Admission 50c.

VICTORIA Quilting Club—Grand Scotch barn dance, Orange Hall, March 29, 8:30 to 1. First-class music (accordion and violin). Refreshments. Gents 50c, ladies 25c.

WHIST, Canadian Legion rooms, tonight, 8:30. $5 special, $2, $1.50 and $1 scrips. All welcome.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2

A SALESMAN, by old line Life Assurance Co. opening branch in Victoria; guaranteed salary and commission to man who can produce. Give sales experience and references. Box 4574, Colonist.

ENGINEER for small tugboat, on fresh water lake. Apply 105 Moody Blk.

GOOD wages for home work—We need you to make socks on the fast, easily learned auto knitter; experience unnecessary, distance immaterial; positively no canvassing, yarn supplied. Particulars, 3c stamp. Dept. 94-C., Auto Knitter Company, Toronto.

HOW many hours a day have YOU to spare? Supposing you work eight hours, sleep eight hours, three hours a day for meals, what do do you do with the other FIVE? Cannot you spare at least TWO hours endeavoring to increase your earning capacity? We will teach you a splendid trade that is a money-maker. COME and TALK it over with us.
INTERNATIONAL ENGINEERING SCHOOLS
910 VIEW STREET, CITY

MAKE Money at Home—$15 to $60 paid weekly for your spare time writing showcards for us. No canvassing. We instruct you and supply you with work. West Angus Showcard Service, 32 Colbourne Bldg., Toronto.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2 (Continued)

MEN to contract to cut 400 cords, 4-ft. lengths, $1.55. Tel. 1514.

STRONG youth, for country. Apply Room 50, Pall Mall Hotel, between 1 and 2.

SALESMEN wanted for Bond House; must be well connected and of good address. Apply Box 4515, Colonist.

TWO or three good boys wanted for about three hours' work each morning. Apply Box 4215, Colonist.

VACANCY for qualified medical man on Gulf Islands. Particulars, E. Maude, Mayne Island, B.C.

WANTED—Live wire for canvassing. Apply 714 Yates between 8 and 10 a.m.

$100 TO $300 a week. Men with slight knowledge of motors, who can reach car owners, can earn $300 weekly without making a single sale. If they can also make sales profits may reach $23,000 yearly. Only proposition of its kind ever offered. Phillips, 228 West 29th Street, New York City.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP 3

CAPABLE maid for general housework; small bungalow. Phone 7727L1.

EXPERIENCED chocolate dipper wanted. Apply 725 Yates St., Stevenson's Confectionery.

GOOD general help. Phone 579, or call 350 Foul Bay Road.

WANTED—Experienced nurse-housemaid. Phone 4024. Mrs. H. G. Wilson.

WANTED—Experienced house-parlormaid. Apply to Mrs. G. A. Kirk, 582 St. Charles Street. Tel. 1180.

WANTED—Cleaning woman, hospital, out of town, $40 per month, room and board and laundry, also nurse-housemaid, in town, cook-generals, in town. Apply Government Employment Bureau, phone 2125.

WANTED immediately—Woman, fond of children, English preferred, to take care of small child and do housework in bungalow. Phone 6307R.

WANTED—A good working housekeeper. Reply to Box 4491, Colonist.

WANTED—Experienced woman for general housework and to assist in care of elderly person. Phone 5604Y.

WANTED—Capable woman, housework and two children, live in, Oak Bay. Phone 6879R, mornings.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE 4

GARDENING—A gardener, with English and Canadian experience, would like situation in or near Victoria; experienced rock plants, hardy flowers, greenhouse and vegetable growing, and landscape work. Can work from plans or make them. Box 4543, Colonist.

GARDENING done by day or hour. Phone 7156R.

LAND clearing, fencing and building; general contracting, single, dangerous trees removed. Phone 7548X2.

POSITION wanted by man and wife; wife excellent cook, man houseman or gardener. Apply A. Creighton, Postoffice, Port Moody, B.C.

STRONG boy wants work on farm; had some experience; small wage. Box 4501, Colonist.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 5

EXPERIENCED stenographer desires position, temporary or permanent. Phone 4512L.

ENGLISH lady, good plain cook, wishes to assist with cooking with a lady who is willing to instruct her in higher class cookery; small adult family; country home, with conveniences. 2034 Chaucer St., Oak Bay, Victoria.

WANTED, by experienced woman, hotel work or general cleaning. Phone 5731L.

EDUCATIONAL 6

B.C. DRAMATIC School, Fort Street. Phone 4536. Elocution, deportment, expression.

EXPERIENCED certificated teacher, late King's College (London University). Pupils coached in general school subjects and for High School entrance. Special attention backward pupils. Terms moderate. Box 3985, Colonist.

QUEEN Margaret's School for Girls, Duncan—New buildings, country surroundings, home atmosphere, matriculation, games. Summer term commences April 9th, 1923.

SEFTON College for Girls, 256 Menzies St., Victoria. Primary to Matriculation. Excellent accommodation for boarders. Summer term begins April 9. Miss E. F. Roberts, L.L.A., Headmistress.

SUMMERFIELDS PREPARATORY SCHOOL for boys, Duncan. Summer term begins on April 5th.

SHORTHAND SCHOOL, 1011 Government street. Business subjects, thorough tuition. E. A. MacMillan, principal. Phone 374.

SPROTT-SHAW BUSINESS INSTITUTE. Courses: Commercial, stenography, clerical, higher accounting, collegiate preparatory, civil service. Phone 28, or write for syllabus. Individual instruction. New Weiler Bldg. New pupils will be accepted each Monday for day school and each Tuesday for night school.

MUSIC 7

AT COLUMBIA SCHOOL OF MUSIC—Courses in piano, violin, vocal (Italian method), theory, harmony, elocution. Pupils' recitals every month free, and open to the public. 1106 Broad Street. Phone 7578.

ADVANCED and elementary violin tuition. Special terms for beginners. Drury Pryce, 1248 Fort. Phone 1444.

BANJO, MANDOLIN, GUITAR, and all stringed instruments taught by W. G. Plowright, 1116 Broad Street. Phone 1553. Res. phone 1111Y1. Hours, 1 to 9 p.m.; Saturdays, 9 to 1.

DOMINION ACADEMY MUSIC, Fort and Cook. Madame Webb, L.S.M. Violin, piano, singing harmony, theory. Phone 1961.

ERNEST SEMPLE, violinist and teacher. 1646 Mitchell Street. Phone 5747.

MISS INA GORDON, teacher of piano and violin. 508 Blanshard Street.

PIANOFORTE

MRS. E. SEMPLE — Pianist and experienced teacher of piano. Pupils prepared for examinations if desired. 1246 Mitchell Street. Phone 5747.

REGINALD H. COX, pianoforte teacher. Homes visited if desired. Pupils prepared for exams. One this year obtained highest marks throughout Canada in McGill Univ., junior grade. Studio, 1413 Fort Street. Phone 399.

TO EXCHANGE 8

PRAIRIE property, farm or residential, in the neighborhood of Edmonton, will be considered for the property advertised by us under Houses for Sale. If you are looking for a trade see us about this. It is a snap. Robert S. Day, 1124 Broad Street.

DRESSMAKING 9

AN up-to-date dressmaker—Work by the day; terms reasonable. Phone 1526L.

AN experienced dressmaker; work by the day. Phone 6760L.

COMPETENT dressmaking; gowns, suits, blouses. Miss Palmer, 521 Sayward Bldg. Phone 7129.

DRESSMAKING—Blouses, kimonos, and alterations promptly done. Room 13, 707½ Yates Street.

FIRST-CLASS dressmaking, alterations, moderate prices. Signa Swanson, 754 Herald. Phone 6787L.

LADIES' hats made, stylish and reasonable. Mrs. Perry, 934 Empress Avenue. Phone 4375R.

MADAME ISOBEL, French dressmaking; good style; reasonable charges. Phone 2441Y.

TAILORING and dressmaking. 957 Fort Street. Miss Vienen. Phone 5817.

MISCELLANEOUS 10

At Eastertide
Your friends can buy anything you can give them—except your photograph.
Make an Appointment
Today
GIBSON'S STUDIO OF PORTRAITURE
Wilfred Gibson
620 View St Phone 2217

B. J. SMITH, late with Jim Bryant, has now opened a bicycle and general repair shop on Douglas, near Hudson's Bay.

DOMINION and Provincial tax returns prepared, British tax refunds claimed. James H. Hill, 117 Pemberton Bldg. Phone 7807.

FASHION Barber Shop—Everything modern. Jean Reinchy, prop. Next to Colonist. Our motto: "To give the best service."

MISCELLANEOUS 10 (Continued)

GET your lawn mower sharpened now, $1.00. Carver & Son, 667 Fort.

HAVE you filed your income tax returns? If not, we will do your work correctly and respect your confidence. Charges moderate. W. H. Price, Notary Public, Imperial Bank Building.

PAINTING, paperhanging and decorating. Estimates free. Satisfaction guaranteed. C. H. Phipps. Phone 7441L1.

PAINTING, paperhanging, kalsomining; 40 years' practical experience; satisfaction guaranteed. Phone 6955R.

PAINTING, PAPERHANGING, KALSOMINING. J. J. ROSS, 664 Pembroke, corner Quadra. Phone 5505.

SAWS, all kinds filed, set, gummed, etc. Phone W. Emery, 1547 Gladstone Ave.

NOTICE TO TRUCK OWNERS

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned for hauling one thousand cords of dry wood from Albert Head to city.
H. BAYNES,
Albert Head. Phone Bel. 15G

TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS 11

FOR Rent—Warehouse and dock, also large shed on wharf. Reply Box 4296, Colonist.

GOOD piano; very reasonable rent, references required. Box 4180, Colonist.

LARGE, light store, 1056 Cook Street, next to corner Fort Street; moderate rent. A. E. Todd, 721 Linden Ave. Telephone 17.

STORE for Rent; good opening for butcher or grocer. Apply Box 4247, Colonist.

OFFICES TO RENT

WOOLWORTH Bldg, corner Douglas and View Sts.—Few offices still available. Building steam heated and recently remodelled. Reasonable rents. Apply to Heisterman, Forman & Co., 608 View St. Phone 55.

WANTED TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS 12

TENNIS court for season, in Oak Bay district. P.O. Box 1067.

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS 13

AUGUST-SOWN cabbage and kales, in variety, per 100, 50 cents; per 1,000 $4. Herbaceous plants in great variety, each 10 to 20 cents; dozen, $1 to $2. Clematis Montana and Rubens in pots, 75 cents each. Roses, Climbers, Dwarfs and standards, in choice sorts, each 65 cents to $1. Apples, peaches, pears, plums, in splendid quality, 75 cents to $1 each. Orchards and fruit trees pruned and tended as they should be to produce good fruit. Lawns made and sown with the finest grasses. Villa grounds thoroughly made out and planted. Landscape work of every kind solicited and satisfactory work ensured. Inquiries will be esteemed. James Simpson, 611 Superior, Victoria, B.C. Phone 1994.

ALL MAKES SEWING MACHINES FOR RENT
TWO USED WHITE ROTARY SEWING MACHINES CHEAP
USED SINGER HAND SEWING MACHINE
SINGER BOX TOP MACHINE, ONLY $13
A. E. TAYLOR & CO.
718 YATES

ALL black soil and manure, delivered. Ploughing, harrowing, also general teaming. H. Vye, 1846 King's Road. Phone 164.

AGRICULTURAL gypsum, agricultural lime. Wards Agencies, Limited, sole distributors for Soda Mining & Products Co., Limited, 404 Standard Bank Bldg., Vancouver, B.C. Phone Sey. 620.

A BIG bargain in a National cash register, only used 3 months, like new, tape attachment; total adder 5c to $2, for quick sale, $86, on terms, too. At Renniesservice Garage, 1717 Cook St., City.

AXMINSTER carpet, 9 ft. by 10 ft. 6 in., in good condition, $24.50. Oddy's, 1817 Douglas St.

A FEW good used ranges, guaranteed, going cheap. B.C. Hardware, 717 Fort Street.

CITY MART, 756 FORT ST. Phone 1433
SPECIALS
6 Dining-room upholstered chairs and table, $25.00. Golden oak buffet, bevel mirror, $21.50. Singer hand sewing machine, $14.50. Cane upholstered chair, $9; rocker, $3.50. Columbia Phonograph and 6 records, $13.50. Chiffonier, bevel mirror, 5 drawers, $16.50. English baby buggies and go-carts from $4 up. We buy or exchange good furniture. Easy terms. Monthly payments.

BEDS, all sizes, $2 up; mantel folding bed, $7.50; wheelbarrow, new, $8.25, toilet sets, $1.25 up. Victoria Furniture Mart, 741 View.

BLACK Currants, Magnus, 3-year-old, in fine condition; $2 for 25c or 50c each. Also some 1 year at $1.50 doz. Best sorts. Phone 6116L.

BLACK SOIL, manure and clay for sale. Also plowing done. Phone 2685. 605 Sayward Bldg.

BARGAIN—Cream enamel triple-mirrored dressing table, as new, $16.50. Oddy's, 1817 Douglas St.

BLACK currants and dewberries, rhubarb and asparagus plants, also 1 hive of bees. Phone 5183L1.

LONDON MARKET
CHOICE milk fed chickens, finest quality fresh meats. 619 Johnson Street.

CARPETS can be cleaned with Owen Blue Soap, at 35c each packet; one packet cleans large carpet or three small ones, or eight suits of clothes, removes stains of oil, grease or tar, etc. At Farmers' Produce Store, 635 Johnson St. Phone 2915.

CERTIFIED seed potatoes, also Early Rose, Early Surprise, Irish Cobbler, Early Ohio, Up-to-Date and Netted Gems. Farmers' Produce Store, 633 Johnson Street. Phone 2915.

COAL! COAL!—75c sack, $3.60 five sacks, del.; 12-in. dry cordwood, $7.30 cord, ½ $3.75. Shingles, XXX, $4.75 1,000; XX, $3.50, 1,000 del. All classes of transfer work. Chevrolet car for hire. Hill's Corner. Phone 3724.

CHOICE antiques, furniture, silver and china. Phone 6684X. Mrs. Woollatt, 1026 St. Charles St.

ENGLISH Baby Carriage, "Grey," for sale. Phone 5073X.

EASTER Gift—Brand new mahogany Gerhard Heintzman piano for sale, cheap. 1795 Foul Bay Road.

ELECTRIC cars are comfortable and easily driven. We have one in good order at low price; terms arranged. Thos. Plimley, Ltd., Victoria, B.C. Phone 697.

EXTRA—Man's bike, $15.60; good book counter, $4.60. Tyldesley, 749 Fort.

FURNITURE (nearly new) for sale. Suite 16, Trebartha Apartments, 1046 View Street. Apartment for rent if desired.

FOR Sale, Cheap—Furniture of 5 rooms. New brass bed, new Rotary White sewing machine, Wilton rug, etc., no reasonable offer refused. Apply Box 4575, Colonist.

FOR Sale—Coal-burning brooder stoves. S. & M. Hall, Strawberry Vale Poultry Farm, R.M.D. 4, Victoria.

FOR Sale—6 English billiard tables, Burroughs & Watts, in good condition. R. & W., Broad Street Billiard Hall, Victoria.

FOR Sale—High tension Bosch magneto. Phone 5921L.

FOR Sale—Raw Raccoon skins, save expense and make up your own furs. Box No. 4146, Colonist.

FRESH Sturgeon. Askey's Fish Market, 624 Yates St.

FOR Sale—The newest in Spring suits, coats, dresses, skirts. Your credit is good if inconvenient to pay all cash. The Famous Store, Ltd., 731 Yates Street.

F. L. JAMES' guaranteed seeds from Salt Spring Island. Finest selection sweet peas and vegetable seeds grown. Farmers' Produce Store, 636 Johnson Street. Phone 2915.

FOR Sale—Postcard Kodak, $12; sample suitcases, $1.75; field glasses, $6.75; car spotlight and mirror, $7.50; rifle, .22 repeater, $12.56; electric vibrator, $7.30; real leather valises, 18-in., $9.50; Troughton & Simms' level, $45; beautiful stone, diamond ring, $75; B.S.A. bicycle, gent's, almost new, $15, solid gold chain, $15; canvas gloves, 10c a pair; new outer bicycle tires, $1.35; new inner tubes, 75c; spectacles from 55c, to fit any sight. Jacob Aaronson's New and Second-Hand Store, 581 Johnson Street (4 doors below Government Street). Phone 735.

FOR Sale—Grey reed baby buggy, large size, in good condition, $25. Saanich Halme, Wilkinson Road, or phone Colquitz 14R.

FOR Sale—Horse or cow manure. Phone 4017L.

FURNITURE, vacuum cleaners, phonographs, sewing machines, etc., at bargain prices. 642 Bastion St. Phone 944. HOUSEHOLDERS' EXCHANGE

FOR Sale—Used family range, polished top, $35. Majestic and others. We make coils, move, repair and exchange. Southall 732 Fort.

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS 13 (Continued)

FLAT-TOP office desk, with two chairs; some other office furniture. 707 Fort Street.

GOAT'S milk is the best body builder for infants, children and grown-ups. Rich in food value yet easily digested. Buy goat's milk, or better still, keep your own goats for the household milk supply. Now is the best time to buy. Send for full information to the B. C. Goat Breeders' Association, Victoria. Phone 2220.

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GENTLEWOMEN'S Private Exchange—Great Bargains in dresses, shoes, etc. Phone 6496.

GARDEN tools, camp stoves, cheapest in city, at Mac's, 1412-17 Store Street.

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HOT Bed Sash, 3 ft. by 5 ft., only $4.53; 3 ft. by 6 ft., $4, delivered in the city. All orders for lumber or millwork receive careful attention. The Moore-Whittington Lumber Co., Ltd. Phones 2697 or 286.

HANDSOME oak buffet, bevelled mirror. Bargain, $37.50. Island Exchange, 759 Fort Street.

ICE chest, 3ft. 9in. wide, 3ft. high, strongly built, $10.30. Island Exchange, 739 Fort Street.

LOGANBERRY tips, $5 per hundred. O. Thomas, Sidney.

LOGAN tips, $6 per 100. E. Willard, 749 Collinson St. Phone 1291.

LOGGERS, cruisers and sportsmen's clothing, tents, pack sacks, blankets, etc. F. Jeune & Bro., Ltd., 570 Johnson St.

LOGANBERRY tips, well rooted, 5c each, or 100 for $4. J. O. Hickson, Elk Lake (corner Cordova Bay Road), or phone 2036.

LIVE fish at Askey's Fish Market, 624 Yates Street.

CASH OR COMMISSION

MRS. SHAW will pay cash or sell your discarded clothing on commission basis. Phone 5400. 809 Fort Street.

SHAW'S EXCHANGE

MRS. JOWITT, 551 Fort St., is open to buy or sell, on commission, Antiques, Old Jewelry, Jet, China, etc. Phone 2164.

MALLEABLE steel ranges, $2 per week. Phone 4669. 1424 Douglas Street.

MIMEOGRAPH machines (Edison-Dick) and supplies. Exclusive Victoria Agents at 24 Winch Bldg. Phone 1915.

OHIO range, $24; three-quarter English bed, $4; flute, $2; office desk, $5; Besson cornet, $50. Ilickling's, 741 Pandora.

OTTAWA drag saw, 4-cycle motor, in good condition. Box 4513, Colonist.

PRETTY brass bed, good spring. Good buy, $10.50. Island Exchange, 739 Fort Street.

PLANTS—Strawberries, rasp. canes, loganberries, black and red currants, gooseberries, Himalaya blackberries, bedding out plants, early cabbage, now ready. Farmers' Produce Store, 633 Johnson Street. Phone 2915.

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ROASTED chickens, fresh daily. Mrs. Dale, 842 Fort St. Phone 5882.

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ONIONS!

SELECTED onion sets and all other garden and field seeds, etc. Savory's Seed Store, 640 Johnson St. Phone 1026.

CEDAR CHESTS

STORE, office and house fixtures. Day & Friend. 1005 Yates. Phone 2832.

SWEET PEA seed, 10c per packet; 12 packets, named, post free, $1; also choice mixed gladiolus, 60c per dozen, post free, direct from the grower, Fred Cousins, Ruby Road, Gordon Head, and Public Market, Victoria.

SNAP—F.O. library table, good as new, $15.75. Oddy's, 1817 Douglas St.

TWO small chicken houses, sectional, and sectional fencing. Phone 7516Y1.

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WIXEY'S English meat pies (beef, pork, mutton, veal and ham, Melton Mowbray); sausage rolls; fruit pies; butterscotch and walnut candy. "We make all we sell." Spencer's Delicatessen Department, Lower Main Floor.

WINFORD electric brooders—Hundreds of enthusiastic letters from successful poultrymen all over Canada. They thought last year's model was good, but the 1923 Winford is better. The brooder that watches itself will watch your chicks as well as your profits. All live dealers handle the Winford. Better send for a free catalogue. Grandview Sheet Metal Wks., Ltd., Vancouver, B.C.

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736 Fort Street Phone 401

6-HOLE range, bargain, $35; 2-seat child's swing, $8, portable Summer house, snap, $7.50; fine quality quarter-cut oak table, $15; electric table lamp, $3.50; sideboard, $15; 2 rocking chairs, $1.50 and $7.50, carpentry bench, $4, also nice house for rent, Elford Street. Phone 5660L, or 3321.

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Also a violin expert at your service. How much do you value your instrument? Enough to justify consulting a master workman?
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WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS 14

ABSOLUTELY THE HIGHEST PRICES PAID for Pianos, Gramophones, Antique and Modern Furniture, Carpets, China, Glass, Old Silver, Sheffield Plate, Books, Old Prints and Coins, Stamps and Stamp Collections.
O'BRIEN'S EXCHANGE, 723 Fort Street
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BABY buggy wanted, English, for cash. Phone 4218R, ten to twelve, mornings.

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DON'T Hesitate—Phone 3406 if you have any furniture you wish to dispose of. Our representative will call and offer current prices. Island Exchange, The Big Store, 759-762 Fort Street.

CALL 6186—WE PAY BEST PRICES FOR bottles, rags, tools, stoves, furniture or anything else you wish to dispose of. We call anywhere, any time. Try us.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS 14 (Continued)

MRS. JOWITT, 821 Fort (next door to Fine Art Gallery)—High-class secondhand clothing. Gents' suits wanted, any quantity. Phone 6154.

ODDY'S are open to buy good class furniture, carpets, ranges, etc. Good prices paid. Phone 6628.

YES, THERE'S A REASON
Phone 5663
MRS. WARDALE, the name with a reputation, who will call and buy ladies', gents' and children's clothing, bedding, etc. 1821 Douglas Street, block below H. B. Co.

SMALL typewriter, in good order, cheap for cash. Bennett, Lake Hill P.O. Phone 1391L2.

TO FARMERS—Victoria City Dairy is always open to receive offers of milk and cream. Address, 1111 Fort St., Victoria.

WANTED—Five or ten tons wheat straw. State lowest price delivered at Glamorgan Farm, North Saanich. Apply Box 4576, Colonist.

WANTED—Dump cart and harness, light delivery wagon and harness; also single-horse cultivator. Write "Antrim," Shawnigan Lake.

WANTED to Buy—Two or three rooms of good furniture. Phone 2322.

WE WILL CALL AT ANY ADDRESS and pay highest prices for bottles, rags, tools, stoves, furniture or anything else. Top prices paid. Phone 6186.

WANTED—To buy good piano, state best price for cash to Box 4160, Colonist.

TURN YOUR TRASH INTO CASH

WE buy rags and bottles; also tools, stoves and furniture, etc., etc. Phone 6186.

WANTED—Used tents, no objection to a few holes. Victoria Tent Factory, 618 Pandora. Phone 1191.

WANTED—Old bicycles and parts, in any condition. Victory Wreckage Cycle Works. Phone 735. 581 Johnson Street. Will call at any address.

GENTLEMEN'S DISCARDED CLOTHING BOUGHT
BEST PRICES PAID WE CALL
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ROOM AND BOARD 15

BON ACCORD, 845 Princess Ave.—Room and board; close in; home cooking. Phone 4852.

BEACONHURST, 232 Douglas, facing lake; terms moderate.

COMFORTABLE room and board, home cooking. 1024 McClure. Phone 1050X.

ETHEWOLD, 766 Cook St.—Comfortable warm house, sunny rooms, good service and cooking; near business centre. Miss Hadwen.

FIRST-CLASS rooms, meals optional, English cooking; central. Vernon House, 926 Humboldt.

HIGH-CLASS room and board: terms moderate. Phone 7214O, "Cahalan," 526 Douglas Street, opposite Beacon Hill Park.

HILL HOUSE—First-class room and board at moderate rates. 646 Simcoe. 2866R.

LARGE well furnished rooms, full board if desired; use of piano, private family. 1413 Fort. Phone 7267R.

NICELY furnished room and board with private family; every home comfort. Phone 1120.

OAK BAY, 1163 St. Patrick St.—Comfortable rooms and board. Phone 7362L2.

ROCKLANDS Private Hotel—Room and board, $1.50 per day, $9 per week. Housekeeping suites from $10 per month. Phone 4612L.

ROOM and board, comfortable home, good cooking, furnace heat, moderate rates. Phone 2954X.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED 16

WANTED by gentleman—Room, partial board; private home, no other boarders. Give full particulars, Box 4501, Colonist.

FURNISHED ROOMS WANTED 17

ABOUT May—Room in nurse's home with attention, for maternity case. Give particulars, Box 4504, Colonist.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT 18

BRIGHT furnished room; no other roomers. 1102 Queen's Ave.

COMFORTABLE rooms, housekeeping or otherwise, corner Superior and Government. Phone 269R. 517 Government St.

CLOSE James Bay Hotel—Cosy rooms, running water, gas, garage. Ph. 1662.

DOUGLAS Hotel — Special weekly or monthly rates to permanent guests.

FOR Rent—Half block from Douglas St., bright, housekeeping suite; also furnished rooms. Phone 6541L.

TWO well furnished front bedroom and sitting-room, single or en suite, between Parliament Buildings and park; adults; reasonable. Phone 5012R.

TRY the Rita Hotel, Fort and Douglas, for clean, cosy rooms; day, week, month; fully modern, rates moderate. Phone 31.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS TO RENT 19

APPLY 521 Simcoe Street—Ground floor rooms, coal range, gas, every convenience.

AT 560 Menzies — Furnished. Phone 7142O.

COMFORTABLY furnished two-room housekeeping suite, all conveniences, centrally located. Phone 5916R. Adults. Call morning or evening, 1190 Fort St.

FURNISHED rooms; also housekeeping and class rooms. Phone 4500Y. 1717 Fernwood Road.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, 615 Michigan, facing park. Phone 2821X.

FURNISHED and housekeeping rooms, gas for cooking, heated, and phone. 1157 Johnson St.

FURNISHED or unfurnished cabins, flat, rooms, $1 per week up. 1056 Hillside.

HOVE Lodge—Housekeeping rooms. Children not objected. Phone 7203O. 516 Michigan Street.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, $10 up, all conveniences. 841 Burdett. Phone 646R.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, steam heat, electric light, hot and cold water, elevator service, including Sunday, at low prices. Hibben-Bone Bldg. The Griffith Co.

FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT 21

AT "Park Mansions"—Front suite, first floor, two blocks from Hudson's Bay. Apply 1721 Quadra.

A COMFORTABLY furnished apartment, near Parliament Buildings, reasonable rent, adults. 414 Powell.

APARTMENTS and single room, Fairfield Hotel, opposite City Hall.

AT Collinson Apartments, 1116 Collinson—Nicely furnished two-roomed apartment. Adults.

A FURNISHED apartment, bath, light, hot and cold water. Gladstone Ave. Phone 2482, before 2 or after 6.

AT Normandie Apartments—Furnished or unfurnished suite to rent.

AT Stanley Apartments—Suite to rent; good furniture for sale. Suite 11.

ALANDALE Apartments. Exceptionally nice bright 5-roomed suite. Phone 206Y.

AT Le Roy Apartments—Nicely furnished 3-room suites, reasonable. 505 Montreal.

AT the October Mansions—Furnished flat to rent.

BELL Block, Oak Bay—Well furnished 4-room suite, steam heated, vacant. Phone 6961 or 6149R.

BEACON HILL Park—Nice furnished flats; also board-residence. 346 Simcoe. 2866R.

BELLEVUE Court, Oak Bay—3-room furnished suite. April 1. Phone 2755.

CORAL COURT, 434 Simcoe St.—Three-roomed suite, furnished or unfurnished, April 1. Phone 2064.

FURNISHED or unfurnished five-room flat, with water and phone, $15 to $16 per month. 1056 Hillside.

FURNISHED sitting-room and kitchenette and one or two bedrooms, upstairs. 1147 Fort Street. Phone 6056L.

MODERN three-roomed apartment, Juno St., Esquimalt, $13 month, including water. Phone 2245R.

OAK BAY—4-room modern flat, garage, garden, $16. 2007 Oak Bay Avenue.

OLYMPIC Apartments, 1190 May—Furnished flat. Phone 4268O for appointment.

ST. HELENS Apartments, 828 Courtney Street (opposite Cathedral)—Housekeeping rooms, single and en suite; bedrooms.

FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT 21 (Continued)

TO Let—Modern 3-room suite, in Wick Building, Oak Bay Avenue. Apply Janitor.

THE Kensington, 919½ Pandora Ave.—Suite for rent. Phone 5405O.

1029 QUEEN'S Avenue—2 furnished apartments, rent $15 and $13. Phone 4509X or 2813L.

507 SIMCOE ST.—Furnished suite, two rooms, light, heat, hot water; rent reasonable. Phone 2841R.

WANTED TO RENT—FLATS AND APARTMENTS 22

WANTED—Furnished three-room suite, flat or cottage, for two adults. Box 4521, Colonist.

TO RENT—HOUSES 23

1867 Chamberlain St., 7 rooms, 3 bedrooms $35.00
127 Howe St., 9 rooms, 5 bedrooms 40.00
1123 Harrison St., 7 rooms, 3 bedrooms 30.00
1135 Oscar St., 5 rooms, 3 bedrooms 60.00
1909 Chamberlain St., 5 rooms, 4 bedrooms 33.00
2065 Fourth St., 3 rooms, 2 bedrooms 17.00
1205 Fort St., 6 rooms, 4 bedrooms 53.00
1245 Stanley Ave., 8 rooms, 5 bedrooms 25.00
1228 Oscar St., 6 rooms, 3 bedrooms 12.30
473 Superior St., 9 rooms, 4 bedrooms 50.00
1505 Laurel Lane, 16 rooms, 7 bedrooms 60.00
2502 Wark St., 9 rooms, 5 bedrooms 30.00
HEISTERMAN, FORMAN & CO.
608 View St. Phone 55

A FULLY modern 1½-story bungalow of eight rooms, situated in the best residential district, on two nice lots, for lease for one year at a very moderate rent, including a garage. P. R. Brown & Sons, 1112 Broad Street.

ALMA Place, 529 Michigan St.—Modern, six rooms. Apply No. 3.

ESQUIMALT, 467 LAMPSON STREET—"The Firs," ten rooms, modern, in good repair; one acre, good garden containing fruit trees, shrubs, flowers of all kinds, tennis court; close to golf links, beaches and car; rent $50 per month, or will sell on easy terms. J. H. SLATER, 311 Union Bank Bldg.

FOR Rent—4-roomed cottage, 3-piece bathroom; Foul Bay waterfront. Phone 4522X.

FOR Rent—7-roomed modern house, newly renovated, $10. Apply 2011 Fernwood Road.

FOR Rent—5-room bungalow, in perfect condition. Apply to owner, 985 Cowichan St.

FOUR-ROOM cottage, all city conveniences; acre of land; close to Wilkinson Station; rent $15 monthly. J. Greenwood, 1236 Government Street.

GRANT ST., 6-room bungalow, $27.50; near Tolmie, 7 rooms, hardwood floors, $27.50; Selkirk Ave., furnished, $60; Gorge, furnished, $80. Harry Amphlett, 212 Union Bank Bldg. Phone 5900.

HOUSES, furnished and unfurnished, for rent and for sale on easy terms. Lloyd-Young & Russell, 1012 Broad Street. Phone 4632.

HILLSIDE AVENUE, No. 227—12 rooms. Apply Empire Realty Co., Fort Street.

TO Let, Unfurnished—1472 Fort St., 9 rooms, furnace, $40; Oak Bay Ave., 6 rooms, garage, furnace, $30; Harrison St., 7 rooms, furnace, $30; Gordon Head Rd. (Mt. Tolmie), 4 rooms, 5 lots in garden, chicken house, $8. Furnished—Admiral's Road, 6 rooms, 3 large lots and fruit trees, $45; Cook St., 7 rooms (for 5 months), $60; Hillside Ave., 3 rooms, garage, $32, Myrtle St., 4 rooms, large lot, $32, Cedar Hill Cross Rd., 2 rooms, large lot, $20; Sylvan Lane, 6 rooms (for month only), $30. Beaumont Boggs & Co., Limited, Agents, 620 Broughton Street.

6 ROOMS, 2 bedrooms, on Niagara Street; immediate possession. Rent, $20. Apply A. Coles, next Colonist.

416 CHESTER ST., Fairfield—7-room semi-bungalow, cement basement, furnace, tubs; will be repainted and kalsomined; $35. Apply Victoria Realty Co., Central Bldg. Phone 2036.

WANTED TO RENT—FURNISHED HOUSES 25

FOR client arriving first week in April, furnished five-roomed bungalow, must be close to car and have gas and basement. R. S. Day & Son, Ltd., 1124 Broad St. Phone 50.

TO RENT—FURNISHED HOUSES 26

ATTRACTIVE modern 7-roomed house, nicely furnished. Lease for 1 year; rent $50.00 per month. 1259 Pandora Ave.

FURNISHED house to rent, or will give lease, furnace and fireplace. Phone 7665X.

FOR Rent to responsible party, from April 14th, for 2 months—Fully furnished bungalow of 5 rooms, piano, linen, silver, etc., Oak Bay district. Phone 2378L.

FOR Rent, furnished or unfurnished—Residence on Rockland Ave. Apply to W. H. Bone, tel. 22 or 3424R.

FULLY furnished 6-room bungalow, reasonable rent; careful tenant only. Andrews Realty. Phone 2726.

FOR RENT—5-room furnished bungalow, best part Victoria West. Phone Redding 368.

THIS newly painted and decorated 6-room bungalow, best part Fairfield, to let, furnished or unfurnished. Immediate possession. Apply on premises, 1220 McKenzie St., or E. E. Heath, 625 Yates St.

3-ROOM cottage, newly renovated. 1809 Crescent Road. Phone 7366.

POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK 27

DAY OLD CHICKENS

ARRIVING Monday—200 R.I. Red and Wyandotte Baby Chicks, from heavy laying stock. Order early. Phone 1966. See me for poultry supplies and incubators, electric brooders and parts for incubators, and brooders. Fresh killed chickens always on hand. Order your infertile eggs now. John Day, 632-35 Yates St. and Government St. Market.

ANCONA eggs, single comb, Pullen's strain direct; winner B.C. laying contests; $1.50 per setting of 15 eggs. Gradler, 1012 Redfern St. Phone 6075Y.

A FRESH car of horses just arrived, young and in good condition, weighing from 1,100 to 1,700 pounds; singles from $50 up, teams from $300 up. People wishing to buy horses should take this opportunity, as they are to be sold. Apply Bray's Stables.

BIRD AND PET STORE, 1316 Government Street. Purebred registered Roller Canaries, matched pairs for breeding. Breeding cages, nests, nesting material. Cod Liver Oil Cage Bird Food. All kinds of seeds and foods for canaries.

BUY your hatching eggs from the "Old Reliable Firm." Special prices this season. Seaview Poultry Farm, 422 Dallas Road. Phone 6960.

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BARRED Plymouth Rock hatching eggs, $1.50 to $6.30 setting; $12 per 100. Laity, 3620 Cedar Hill Road. Phone 666.

BIG White Wyandotte broody hens, $2.25 each. Phone 5370L.

BLACK Toy pedigree Pomeranian, 9 months old, weight 1 pounds, female; $35. Phone Colquitz 24M.

CALVES—Any quantity wanted, in good condition, spot cash. Phone 2327R.

CAPITAL City Registered Dog Breeders' Association—Dogs for sale, registered stud dogs of all kinds. Information and particulars at Bird Store, 1316 Government St., phone 895; or V.C.K.C., phone 7349L.

CANARIES—High-class "Edel" Rollers, super songsters; also pure-blooded hens, ready for mating; ship anywhere. Apply Barber Shop, 601 Menzies St.

CHEAP—Toy Pomeranians, sable, chocolate and black; also good brood matron. Phone 3666Y.

CANARIES, bred from pure roller stock, CHEAP. 1710 Denman St.

FOR Sale—Jersey cow, due to calve early May, two heifers, two years old and fourteen months old. Telephone 2168R.

FOR Sale—White Leghorns, 17 pullets, 10 hens, 1 male bird; Barron's, Solly's and Palmer's strains. Phone 5014Y1, mornings or evenings. Corner Kisber and Kremlin, Mount Tolmie.

FOR Sale—6 Wyandottes, pullets, all laying. 1217 Mitchell St. Phone 7019L.

FOR Sale—Leghorns and Anconas. Apply 1960 Heultain St.

FOR Sale—Airedale terrier, 2 years, with pedigree, good watch dog; $25. A. Stewart, R.M.D. 4. Phone 7176L.

FOR Sale—Toulouse goose and gander, price $4 each. Phone 281L. Geo. McLean, Sidney.

FOR Sale—Jersey cow, due April 6th. Corner Grocery, Royal Oak.

POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK 27 (Continued)

FOR Sale—3 brood sows, in farrow. S. Goyette, Royal Oak.

FOR Sale—Young Jersey cow, due April 1st. Phone Col. 10R.

FOR Sale—White Leghorn Pullets, good strain, all laying; price, $1.30. MacKenzie, Lake Hill P.O.; five minutes from bus.

FOR Sale, cheap—White Leghorn pullets, also yearling hens, good strain, all laying. Phone 4083Y1.

FOR Sale—Settings of Barred Rocks, also Rhode Island Reds, both guaranteed good laying strain; price $1.25 per setting. Apply Newman's Grocery, 144 Superior St. Phone 823.

FOR White Leghorn and Rhode Island setting eggs phone 4237R. 213 Edward Street, Victoria West.

FOR Sale—2 milking goats, and 2 due soon. Phone 7093R. 232 Langford St.

GOOD home available for Airedale or terrier dog, male. Particulars to 1163 McClure Street.

HORSE, 800-900 lbs., light delivery or general purpose; choice of two. Call 1465 Edgeware Road.

HIGH-CLASS pedigreed roller canaries, from registered stock. Walker's Aviaries, 1611 Denman St. Also 721 Fort St.

HATCHING Eggs — White Wyandottes, Experimental Farm strain, from 250-egg birds, $1.25; and Rhode Island Reds (special pen), $1.25. Morning orders delivered same day. Also superb everbearing strawberry plants for sale, $2 per 100. Phone 2318, or Colquitz 17X.

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HATCHING eggs, record layers, large eggs; New Zealand White Leghorn; Tom Barron's White Leghorn; White Wyandottes, $6.00 per 100, fertility guaranteed. A Lang, Seven Oaks P.O. Phone 2952L1.

LIVE fish at Askey's Fish Market, 624 Yates St.

PUREBRED Pekin duck eggs, $1 per setting. 2060 Albina. 7510L2.

R. I. R. EGGS, $1 13, from high-class birds. 140 Moss St. Phone 2720Y.

RHODE Island Reds and White Leghorns—Eggs and chicks from trap-nested stock, winners of diplomas and bronze medal at Victoria laying contests. H. C. Cooke, Borden Street, Lake Hill.

REGISTERED MILKING GOATS (just fresh), "Artemia of Deerfield" and "Cherie of Deerfield" with kids, $45, or near offer. 15 month ½ doe kid, No. 18,755. Garden tools, furniture, laying and broody hens. Owner leaving Victoria, must sell. G. Hall, Mount View Avenue, Colwood, V.I.

SPITZ pups for sale, small and pretty; nice pet dogs. Box 4451, Colonist.

SETTINGS, $1.50, University and Experimental Farm strains, White Wyandottes and Leghorns. 1129 Finlayson Ave. P. 7456L.

TURKEY eggs for sale from well known stock. J. Price, Parson's Bridge.

THE Jersey Aviary—Hartz Mountain and Belgian Roller canaries. My birds always please. Apply 6235 Wark St.

TEAM of horses, double harness, wagon, ploughs, harrows, cultivators, etc., for sale or trade for a light delivery truck. Brandy's Nursery, Cloverdale Ave. Phone 2327.

WANTED—Horse, about 1,200 to 1,400 pounds. Apply Moore & Whittington Lumber Co.

WYANDOTTES—Settings, $1.25 per 13, delivered; also S.C. Black Minorca eggs, Mainland strain. Phone 5129L1.

WANTED—Poultry, rabbits, pigeons, etc. Cash at door. Wilde, phone Colquitz 19L.

2 GOOD Saanen goats for sale. Phone 4872L after 3 o'clock.

AUTOMOBILES 28

SOME MORE GOOD BUYS

PAIGE TOURING, 1913, starter and everything	$275
DODGE SEDAN, in perfect condition	$850
FORD SEDAN, a real buy	$595
OVERLAND "35" TOURING, a fine family car	$625
SCRIPPS-BOOTH TOURING, 1920, runs and looks like new	$895

And many others, on easy terms if desired.

CARTIER BROS.
724 Johnson Street Phone 3237
Gray and Gray-Dort Distributors

FORD for sale; privately owned and in good condition. Phone 4378L.

BIG Six Studebaker, 7-passenger, in A1 condition throughout, newly painted, good tires with spare, recently overhauled. Would make ideal taxi or stage car. Apply Box 4578, Colonist.

BIG BUYS at RENNIESERVICE, Cook St. Ford delivery, $175. Federal wood truck, $500. Republic, pneumatic tires, etc., $500. Ford Bug, $75. Ford tourings, $165, $175, $250. Keeton Roadster, $150. Maxwell touring, starter, etc., $225. Used parts for Cadillacs, Russells, E.M.F.s, Overlands, etc. It pays to see
RENNIE at 1717 COOK STREET
Almost new cash register for $85.

FORD, 1921 Roadster, self-starter, demountable rims, everything up to date and in wonderful condition, licence paid for 1923, all for $123. FORD, 1920 touring, one-man top, demountable rims, self-starter, etc., $275. FORD touring, equipped with Atwater-Kent ignition, $200. FORD chassis, all in good order, licence paid, $125. CHEV., 1919 chassis, $172. 24x4 wheels, rims, tires. Truck, roadster and delivery bodies. CHEV. touring body, top and windshield for '19 model, $50. An investment in optimism pays big dividends, let us all collect them. W. Frank Cameron, 949 View Street. Phone 1665.

FOR Sale—Star car, Ford light delivery. Fernwood Garage, 2320 Fernwood Road.

FOR Sale—McLaughlin car, Special Six, in good order, cheap for cash. Apply 1614 Fairfield Rd.

FOR Sale—Ford chassis, in good condition. Good "bug" material. Phone 914Y, after 6 p.m.

LIGHT Ford delivery, in good condition, cheap. Address 1409 Stora St. Phone 6618.

MODEL "90" Overland, new tires, excellent mechanical condition; privately owned; $593 cash. Phone 4291Y. Box 4271, Colonist.

NEW Ford tops, $19.30. Other cars at proportionate rates; also side curtain and top repairs. Cartier Bros., 724 Johnson Street. Phone 3237.

OVERLAND car, late model, privately owned and used carefully, in first-class order, for sale cheap. Phone 4543.

PHONE 3708, Cox & Perkins, 931 View Street. Winter tops, touring and delivery bodies built to order. Tops, slip covers and dust covers made or remade.

STUDEBAKER car, in good order, new top and battery, good paint, self-starter, $200. A. Stewart, R.M.D. 4. Phone 7176L.

STUDEBAKER, 1917, 7 passenger; owner leaving city, will accept reasonable offer for cash. Box 4360, Colonist.

SECOND-HAND CARS FOR THIS WEEK—SPECIALS

DOMINION GARAGE
Next to Union Club

WANTED—Ford ton truck chassis, or with dray body, pneumatics; no dealers. Phone 993. Union Wholesalers, Ltd.

WANTED—Late model 5-seater, private party. Give particulars and price, Box 4345, Colonist.

WANTED—Ford touring, 1916, in good condition. Will pay cash. Phone 6016R.

McLAUGHLIN "6," in first-class condition, just repainted. A fine car at a reasonable price $950

FORD, just overhauled, complete with starter and in fine shape throughout $450

Others at very reasonable prices and on easy terms.
H. A. DAVIE, LTD.
260 Yates Street Phone 6904

A Mart for Busy Readers—House and Business Property for Sale and Exchange

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SUPERIOR RESIDENCE OF 16 ROOMS—Of distinctive and charming architecture, this house embodies all the conveniences and attractions known to the modern builder's craft. Workmanship and material are of the highest possible character; hot water heating system throughout, hardwood floors, panel and beam work in hand-finished fir. House stands in one acre of beautifully wooded grounds, with tennis lawn, flower and vegetable garden, double garage. Fine marine views. LET ME SHOW YOU THIS HOUSE. IT WILL BE SOLD MUCH BELOW COST.

FIVE-ROOM ULTRA MODERN BUNGALOW—Open fire, superior built-in effects, beautiful Dutch kitchen, laundry; nice garden, pretty front lawn and garage. $3,150.

HARRY AMPHLETT
212 Union Bank Building Phone 5800
Let me know your requirements. I have a house for every need, a price for every purse.

CHOICE BUNGALOWS

WATERFRONT—OAK BAY—Attractive five-roomed bungalow; unobstructed view of Straits and mountains; panelled walls, beamed ceiling, built-in features, basement, laundry tubs and garage; beautiful garden. Price $4,200. Easy terms.

NORTH HAMPSHIRE ROAD—Cosy five-roomed bungalow with every modern convenience, hardwood floors, etc.; nice dry lot with oak shade trees. Price $4,200. Exceptional terms.

CALIFORNIAN BUNGALOW, situated in the best section of the Fairfield district, and has every modern convenience; containing five well-proportioned rooms. Price reduced to $3,300.

P. R. BROWN & SONS
1112 Broad Street Phone 1076

$1100—VICTORIA WEST — 5-room modern bungalow, bath, toilet, wash basin; full basement, cement foundation; 1 block from car.

$3000—FAIRFIELD—Absolutely modern 5-room bungalow, neat and attractive; 1 block from car, walking distance; select location; furnace, fireplace, tubs; garage, etc. It is a lovely home. Ensel, 113 Pemberton Blk. Phone 2327.

GRANT & LINEHAM, LTD.
(Established 1893)

$2100—COMFORTABLE BUNGALOW, with living-room; fine, large, bright kitchen; two good bedrooms; modern bathroom and basement. Splendid large garden and small fruits, flowers, kitchen garden and chicken house. On high ground with low taxes. $600 cash and balance on very easy terms.
Easy Terms

$4350—WONDERFUL BARGAIN in modern home; hall; living-room with open fire; dining-room with beams, panelling, buffet, open fire and conservatory opening off; den with open fire; fine kitchen with pantry; 3 fine bedrooms, one with sleeping porch; modern bathroom; cement basement with furnace. Price includes gas range and Ruud heater. Situate on high ground, in good district near High and Central Schools.
Terms Arranged

1609 Douglas Street Phone 664

$4200—OAK BAY—This 6-room bungalow is one of the best in this district, choice residential location; beautifully beamed and panelled, with 3 fireplaces, one being in the den; close to beach and car. If you want a real fine home, see this one.

$6000—MT. TOLMIE District—3 acres and one of the finest 5-room bungalows; built-in features throughout, fireplace, city water, electric light, phone, garage; lovely oak shade trees; high situation; rich soil. Just outside city. Taxes $30 per year. This is a charming home and a great big bargain. R. B. Punnett, 113 Pemberton Blk.

$6500—OAK BAY—One of the most substantial and high-class homes in the city, oak floors, hot water heating; exceptionally fine drawing-room and dining-room, one large granite and one brick fireplace; 3 nice bedrooms.
MUTUAL REALTY Phone 6069

EXTRAORDINARY BARGAIN
Within 5 Minutes of Fort Street, on Paved Street, Near City High School.

$1350—4 LARGE rooms, well finished; pantry, bathroom with hot and cold water, woodshed and cellar. Nice large lot, excellent soil. Light taxes.
To be sold on very easy terms.

A. S. BARTON WISE & CO., LTD.
111 Pemberton Bldg.
Phone 2901

$3750—FERNWOOD HILL—A real pick-up—7 rooms and sleeping porch, absolutely modern and almost new; full cement basement, furnace, laundry tubs and toilet. Nice lot and garage.

$4500—OAK BAY Way—7 rooms, fully furnished, just ready to step in; furnace, cement floor and walks, garage, etc. Close to schools. Terms arranged.

CROSS & CO.
Belmont House Opposite P.O.

HOUSES FOR SALE 39
(Continued)

TWO FAIRFIELD BARGAINS

$5500—NEARLY new, fully modern semi-bungalow of 6 rooms, overlooking the sea and mountains.

$2100—FOUR-ROOM bungalow, close to the sea and car line; good garden lot.

E. E. HEATH
623 Yates St. Phone 674

HERE IS YOUR CHANCE

6-ROOMED, well-built, attractive, modern semi-bungalow; 3 bedrooms upstairs and 1 down; bathroom and separate toilet; cement basement; garage. High position; 1-mile circle; close to cars. Reduced to $2,650. Bagshawe & Co.

WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES 40

WANTED to Buy—Modern six-roomed house, in Victoria West or Esquimalt district. Reply to Box 4103, Colonist, stating particulars.

SUMMER RESORTS 41

A GIFT at the Price—Charming waterside cottage, furnished, for sale. Allan Downey, Downey Road, Deep Bay. Phone 68Y, Sidney.

BEACH HOUSE—Modern Holiday Home. Lunches, teas and suppers. Sidney, B.C.

FOR Sale—At Quathiaski Cove, Valdez Island, 1 mile from Campbell River, 10-room house, with 13 acres waterfrontage, prettily situated, with splendid view of Discovery Passage and the snow-clad mountains of Vancouver Island. Residence is eminently suited for Summer boarders. Good fishing, boating and tennis court. For price and further particulars, Apply Box 3412, Colonist.

ACREAGE FOR SALE 42

PEMBERTON & SON
Pemberton Bldg Phone 2798

11 ACRES, about 7 cleared, all good soil, about 33 young fruit trees and a good assortment of small fruits. A new modern bungalow of 7 rooms, in excellent condition, water laid on, bath, etc. Barn for stock and feed, poultry houses, garage and other outbuildings. Situated about three-quarters of a mile from school and railway station. Price $6,000.

41¼ ACRES, with about 33 cleared, with 36 assorted bearing fruit trees; also a splendid assortment of small fruits. The grounds near the house are nicely laid out, an exceptionally good assortment of rare shrubs and flowers. The dwelling has eight rooms, covering ground space of 43 ft. by 31 ft. The house is well planned, with all modern conveniences. Every room is in perfect condition. Barn accommodation for 8 head, poultry houses for 180 birds; garage and other outbuildings. A never-failing water supply. This property is well situated, commanding an excellent view, and close to the sea. The owner has reduced his price to $12,500.
Photos and other information at our office.

PEMBERTON & SON
Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents
Fort Street Victoria, B.C.

ABOUT 4½ acres good black soil, 9-roomed shack, Jersey cow, calf 10 months old, 100 yearling Leghorns, barn, 3 piggeries and henhouses. Price $1,800, $680 cash. P. Humber, Eberts Station, Interurban.

CHEAP FARMING PROPERTY

EIGHTEEN acres of excellent land, all cleared and cultivated; house, barn and chicken houses, situate on main road, nine miles out. Price $7,300.

FIFTY-ACRE farm, twenty-five acres cleared, balance in bush; comfortable house and good outbuildings; ten miles out. Price $7,000.

J. GREENWOOD
1236 Government Street

FOR Sale—Beautiful Cowichan Lake property, 31½ acres, 660 feet waterfrontage, $730. Phone 7643X, or Box 4430, Colonist.

OVER AN ACRE OF GROUNDS

FINE nine-roomed house, fully modern; living-room, dining-room and den with open fireplaces, kitchen, scullery and pantry on ground floor; three large and two small bedrooms, dressing room and sleeping porch and bathroom upstairs. Half basement, with hot air furnace.
Grounds laid out in specimen trees and lawn, fine orchard of various trees and small fruits. Barn and two chicken houses.
Price $5,260, and exceptionally easy terms can be arranged, or trade considered.
For further particulars,

ROBERT S. DAY & SON, LTD.
1124 Broad St. Victoria, B.C.

MOUNT DOUGLAS PARK—The most valuable and practical subdivision ever put upon the market in the vicinity of Victoria. Every foot of the land is cultivable and in magnificent condition for immediate production. Much of it is at present carrying crops which give abundant evidence of its wonderful fertility. Owing to its sheltered location, this land will produce the very early crops, which insure largest profits. Commands fine views of the sea and mountains, and is surrounded by high class farms and residences. Paved road all the way from city, and public water supply available. Only twenty minutes by car, the distance enables a purchaser to enjoy all the comforts and attractions of a home in the country and by the sea, while following employment in the city. One 8½-acre block left at $309 per acre. One 1½ acres, with 1 acre strawberries, $460 per acre. Six 6-acre blocks, all in cultivation, $100 per acre. Five 6-acre blocks, all in cultivation, $500 per acre. ON TERMS.

HARRY AMPHLETT
212 Union Bank Bldg. Phone 5800

THREE blocks of 1½ acres each, at Deep Cove, all cleared, overlooking the Bay, commanding an excellent view. One block has a 4-roomed house. Prices from $400 to $2,600. Box 4441, Colonist.

TENDERS wanted for 18 acres of land, partly improved, ¾ mile Cowichan Station, on main road to Cowichan Bay. Located R. 2, Part E., Part of E. ½ Sec. 4. The best tender gets this for cash. Box 4493, Colonist.

NEW GORDON HEAD SUBDIVISION

WE have just subdivided one of the best farms in this favored locality, the very choicest of land, all cleared, no rock. City water; every inch can be cultivated. Two-acre blocks.
PRICE $600 per Acre.
Terms: Quarter cash, balance 6, 12, and 18 months.

OKANAGAN LAND WANTED

CLIENT wishes to trade his equity in a choice Cobble Hill farm of 10 acres; is moving back to Okanagan district, and is open to consider property of merit, anywhere in that district.
See us for further particulars.

HEISTERMAN, FORMAN & CO.
608 View Street Phone 55

$4500—TEN ACRES, best red loam soil, 4 acres under cultivation, 6 more cleared for pasturage; all fenced with 6 wires; well planted orchard and small fruits. 7-roomed modern house; barn for 7 head, chicken houses, etc. Abundant water supply. On mail delivery and phone. Situated on Island Highway; half mile from station, school, stores, etc. Terms.

B. O. BRETON
Notary Public, Real Estate and Insurance Agent, Cobble Hill, E. & N. Railway.

WATERFRONT HOME

7½ ACRES, with well-finished and panelled 6-roomed house, with fine view of the Straits of Georgia and Mount Baker; good well and small orchard. The property has waterfront on three sides, including two small, well sheltered bays (warm bathing), and is less than 15 minutes' walk from Galiano Wharf, with five regular steamer calls weekly. Price $3,500, on terms, or $2,998 cash.
Apply Owner, M. Eaks, Galiano, B.C.

VERY DESIRABLE PROPERTY

$6000—GOOD terms—Modern dwelling, standing in 6 acres nearly all in cultivation, containing 2 sitting-rooms, kitchen, pantry, 6 bedrooms, bathroom, h. and c. water; 9 verandas, water from never-failing spring, garden, small orchard in full bearing, small fruit of all kinds; garage, barn, poultry houses, situated ¾ mile from Shawnigan Lake, 2½ miles from the sea. C. WALLICH, Real Estate and Insurance Agent, Cowichan Station P.O., E. & N. Railway.

ACREAGE SNAPS

$650 WILL handle 5 acres of good land, 2½ miles from City Hall, 10 cent jitney fare into town, near paved road. Price $2,300.

DEEP COVE—Slightly over 5 acres, all cleared, good soil, 1 acre orchard, ¼ acre loganberries. Nice house, 6 rooms, water in house. Dairy, workshop, poultry house, etc., good well and windmill. For quick sale, only $4,750; $1,750 will handle.

KINGWELL & ROWLAND, Estate Agents
B.C. Permanent Loan Bldg.

ACREAGE FOR SALE 42
(Continued)

Phoenix Assurance Co., Ltd.
(London, England)

COUNTRY HOME WITH GOOD ACREAGE

Terms can be arranged to suit.

LANGFORD DISTRICT

3½ ACRES (no rock), with a 6-room modern bungalow, lathed and plastered. City water. Land is park-like and has a number of second growth trees. Within 200 yards of main paved road. Price $3,150.

NEAR QUADRA

TWO-THIRDS of an acre, just off Quadra, on the 3½-mile circle. All cleared, and soil is deep black loam. Cherries, apples, loganberries, raspberries and strawberries. 4-room modern bungalow, with bath, electric light, phone, water, chicken house, garage, etc. Taxes $18 a year. Price $3,663.

NEAR LANGFORD STATION

ABOUT one acre of land, all cleared, with a number of fruit trees. Modern 6-room stone dwelling, possessing all modern conveniences, bathroom, electric light, phone, garage, etc., also chicken house. Just off the Island Highway and paved road. Only $4,300.

B.C. LAND & INVESTMENT AGY., LTD.
922 Government St. Phone 125

20 ACRES, LEVEL AND RICH, about half improved, including some reclaimed swamp land, also some valuable timber. House, barn and chicken house. On main road, near school, store and church. PRICE $2,060. EASY TERMS.

20 ACRES adjoining above, same kind of land. PRICE $1,000. EASY TERMS. WILL CONSIDER VICTORIA HOUSE AS PART PAYMENT.

COWICHAN RIVER—3 acres, between river and road level, no rock. Ideal Summer homesite. $1,260.

SAANICH ARM SEAFRONT—9½ acres. $830.

G. C. HOWELL
166 Pemberton Bldg Phone 7494

1¾ ACRES at Deep Cove, close to beach, with 5-roomed house and garage. A real snap for $2,200. Box 4410, Colonist.

PROPERTY FOR SALE 44

FOR Sale—1 large waterfront lot, Glen Lake (Luxton), pretty cottage, good bathing, high dive, spring board and plenty of fishing; an ideal summer camp. Price for cash, $730.30. Box 4495, Colonist.

GARAGE OR WAREHOUSE SITE

SPLENDID business proposition and investment; full-size lot, 60x120, on View Street, close in; good warehouse or garage building site, close to Vancouver Street, and at present bringing in an income of $240 yearly. The owner refused $13,000 for this lot, but, for the purpose of a quick sale, says sacrifice for $3,600. This is absolutely the best business buy in Victoria today. Cheaper than city property. Crowe Realty & Investment Co.

FARMS FOR SALE 47

FOR Rent or Sale, Cheap—Small farm, 37½ acres, near Parsons Bridge, 6 miles from Victoria; all fenced, 16 acres under cultivation; 6-roomed cottage and outbuildings, with abundance of water. A. T. Peatt, Colwood P.O. Phone Belmont 9.

SAANICH FARM, $3,600

PRAIRIE farmer paid $9,300 for his farm (6 acres) two years ago. A good house, with full basement, barns, outbuildings, plentiful supply of water, good fencing; a considerable area in small fruits, commercial orchard. We think an offer of $6,600 terms, will take this. At any rate, it must be sold. It is worth seeing. See us personally for particulars.

THE VICTORIA REALTY CO.
Central Building

ACREAGE FOR RENT 50

LANGFORD Park—15¾ acres, close to E. & N. Station, immediate proximity to Goldstream Road School; property nearly all cleared and fenced; water laid on, including large barn and several outhouses. Lease for one year with option of renewal, $10 per month. Heisterman, Forman & Co., 608 View St. Phone 55.

MONEY TO LOAN 52

AGREEMENTS and mortgages discounted. Money to loan on improved property. Dunlop & Foot, barristers, 612 Sayward Bldg.

IN sums ranging from $500 to $50,000, on improved farm and city property. Apply P. R. Brown & Sons, 1112 Broad Street.

PERSONAL 56

I WILL not be responsible for any debts contracted in my name without my written signature.—L. A. Wooster.

TAKE Notice that I will not be responsible for any debts incurred by my wife after this date.—L. Millar.

WILL Mrs. A. Ellis, late of Prince Rupert, B.C., and Victoria, or anyone knowing of her present whereabouts, kindly communicate with the Estate Service Bureau, Winnipeg, Man.

TIMBER BROKERS 60

LARGE and small tracts of timber, accessible to rail and water, for sale. Wise & Co., 109 Pemberton Bldg.

The Returned Professional and Business Men's Association of Victoria, B.C.

Respectfully solicits the patronage of local residents in the lines of business hereunder mentioned:

ARCHITECTS
P. L. JAMES, 381 Sayward Building. Phone 6618.
RALPH BERRILL, A.R.I.B.A., 4 Brown Block. Phone 5348.

AUTOMOBILE REPAIRS
THE MECHANICAL MOTOR WORKS, 1384 Oak Bay Avenue. Phone 5664.

AWNING MAKER
GEO. RIGBY, 626 Fisgard Street. Phone 9468.

AUTO PAINTER
VETERANS' AUTO PAINTING WORKS, 2799 Blanshard Street.

BUILDERS' SUPPLIES
JOHNSON BROS., 2744 Avebury Street. Phone 4786.

BONDS
G. G. MORRISS, 711 Fort. Phone 2148.

CANDIES
E. J. LAWRENCE, Handy Candy Store, 1016 Blanshard Street. 1 minute from Royal Victoria Theatre. Phone 661L.

CARPENTER AND BUILDER
EVANS & GREEN, 1679 Dallas Road. Phone 5696X.

CLOTHIERS
FRYIE BROTHERS, 909 Government Street. Phone 1333.
A. H. C. JONES, with J. F. Sprinkling, corner View and Broad. Phone 4100.

CONCRETE SPECIALISTS AND CONCRETE PRODUCTS
HENSON & CO., 109 Gorge Road. Phones 6647 and 116X.

DENTIST
H. CLARKE, 418 Central Building. Phone 1368.

ELECTRICIANS
FOX & MAINWARING, Pemberton Building. Phone 6611.

FINANCIAL AGENT
H. E. HUNNINGS, 319 Central Building. Phone 4161.

HOTEL KEEPERS
NICHOLSON & WILLIS, Sooke Harbor Hotel.

INSURANCE
W. J. BRICK, 407 B.C. Permanent Loan Building. Phone 1979.

LAWYERS
Names of five Legal Firms may be obtained from the President. Phone 3976.

LAND SURVEYOR
F. H. ALLWOOD, B.C.L.S., 485 Sayward Building. Phone 6646.

ORCHESTRA AND BAND
A. RUMSBY, 5th Regiment Band, 381 Niagara Street.

PAINTING AND DECORATING
T. H. RENDELL, 1620 Bay Street. Phone 6376Y.

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VETERANS' PLUMBING COMPANY, Fort and Langley. Phone 6911.
R. J. COSTELLO, Lake Hill P.O. Phone 8376X.

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W. A. BROWN, 711 B.C. Permanent Loan Building. Phone 3316L.
J. H. GILLESPIE, 711 Fort Street. Phone 3949.
T. B. MONK & CO., 604 B.C. Permanent Loan Building. Phone 2761.
WENDELL B. SHAW, 403 Pemberton Building. Phone 3979.

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GENERAL SERVICE TRANSPORT, LTD., 1107 Langley. Phone 69.
JOHNSON BROS., 2744 Avebury Street. Phone 4786.

TOBACCONIST
J. DIROM, Horse Shoe Cigar Stand, 1393 Government Street. Phone 7160.

Anton Lang, who plays the role of Christ in the "Passion Play," received enough money from his work to buy seventy pounds of flour.

CANADA COPPER CORPORATION, LIMITED (Non-Personal Liability)
JUDICIAL SALE

To be sold pursuant to a judgment of the Supreme Court of British Columbia made in an action wherein The Equitable Trust Company of New York is plaintiff, and Canada Copper Corporation, Limited (Non-Personal Liability), Canada Copper Corporation, Limited, Lucius W. Mayer, Allen H. Rogers, Casimer I. Stralem, Newman Erb, Esdras L. Gruver, Arthur J. Ronaghan and H. R. van Wagenen are defendants, with the approbation of Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald, by Mr. J. F. Mather, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the office of the District Registrar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia at Vancouver, on the 7th day of May, 1923, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, all the real and personal property of the Canada Copper Corporation, Limited (Non-Personal Liability), and the Canada Copper Corporation, Limited, situate in the Province of British Columbia, and in the State of Washington.

The property to be sold consists of all the lands and mineral claims owned by the two companies situate in or near Greenwood, Anaconda, Allenby and Copper Mountain in British Columbia and in Stevens County and Ferry County in Washington, together with all the buildings, plant, machinery, chattels, water rights and contracts of the two companies.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had gratis of Mr. J. F. Mather aforesaid, at the District Registry of the Supreme Court of British Columbia at Vancouver; of Messrs. Murray, Prentice & Aldrich, of 37 Wall Street, New York, in the State of New York, one of the United States of North America; and of Messrs. Mayers, Stockton & Smith, of 470 Granville Street, in the City of Vancouver aforesaid.

Dated at Vancouver this 24th day of March, A.D. 1923.

J. F. MATHER,
District Registrar of the Supreme Court.

CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for the year 1923 has been filed in the Treasury Office of Esquimalt, and there may be inspected. Any person dissatisfied with his assessment as shown on the roll may file a petition against such assessment with the Council not later than April 1st, 1923.

G. H. PULLEN, C.M.C.
Esquimalt, March 1st, 1923.

Special Auction Sale
Today at 2 P.M.

FREDERICK KIDGELL
Auctioneer, City Market Auction
(The Old-Established Firm)

Will sell by auction today, Thursday, at 2 o'clock (tomorrow being Good Friday)

60 Purebred White Leghorn Pullets
All Laying, and Other
Livestock and Effects

FREDERICK KIDGELL
Auctioneer
646 Fisgard Street Phone 2484

Further livestock and effects received up to 12 o'clock.

V. 2193.
Auction Today
At 1:30 P.M.
In
McCloy's Auction Halls
Corner Pandora and Blanshard St.
Furniture, Piano

Cabinet Gramophone, Bungalow Davenport in Spanish leather with mattress, "White" Rotary Drop-Head Sewing Machine (almost new), Automatic Knitter (used few times), and Miscellaneous Furnishings, Bedding, Ranges, Beds, 2 Pairs Oars, Garden Tools, Wire Netting, etc.; four Guns and Rifles, lot Milliner's Show Stands, etc. Terms Cash.

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FURNITURE SNAPS

Large Oak Chiffonier, a bargain	$15.00
Cheval Mirror, a beauty	22.50
Good Set Golden Oak Diners	24.00
Fumed Oak Table and 6 Diners	59.00
8-Piece Fumed Oak Dining Suite	79.00
A Dandy Wicker Baby Buggy	25.00
China Cabinets at $45, $37.50,	19.00
New Carpet, green, 9.6 x 9 ft.	15.00
Pair Choice Parlor Chairs	35.00
Golden Oak Dining Table and Chairs	59.00
3 ft. 6 in. Brass Bed, Spring, Mattress	14.50

See Us for Pictures, Ornaments, Etc.
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The
Store Fixtures, Stock of Books
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On view this afternoon from 2 o'clock.
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738 Fort Street Phone 2476

CUBA SUGAR MEN SAY PRICES LEGITIMATE

Denial Made That Rise Due to Speculative Acts—Island's Output Estimated at Nearly 4,000,000 Tons

NEW YORK, March 28.—The Association of Mill Owners and Cane Growers of Cuba, in a message to Horatio S. Reubens, its honorary president, asserted today that the rise in the price of sugar was due to legitimate causes and not to speculative acts on the part of Cuban sugar planters.

Estimated Crop

HAVANA, March 28.—According to a tabulation of reports from a majority of the sugar mills in Cuba, this year's crop is estimated at 3,735,-300 tons.

Paris modistes are using Japanese embroidery for their new creations.

Finance and Commerce

CONFIDENCE GIVEN BY FEDERAL RESERVE

Announcement That Rediscount Rate Was Not to Be Increased Proved Benefit on Exchange

NEW YORK, March 28.—Elimination of speculative fear of another increase in the rediscount rate by the Federal Reserve Board's statement yesterday brought about a further recovery of prices in today's stock market. Gains of 1 to 3 points were quite common during the morning, but many of these were cancelled or substantially reduced later when professional interests disposed of stocks purchased at the lower levels to support the market.

Money Easier in Rates

Call money opened at 5 3-4 per cent, eased off to 5 1-2 at noon, and to 5 in the last hour, closing at that figure. The time money market was quiet, with loans in limited volume being made at 5 1-2 per cent for two and four months' maturities.

The commercial paper rates were unchanged, with prime names commanding 5 per cent.

More activity was noted in the foreign exchange market, with the principal quotations showing slight irregularity. Demand sterling eased slightly to $4.68 1-8, and French francs, after advancing 5 points to 6.62 cents, slipped back to 6.58 3-4.

Bonds More Favorable

Bond prices displayed a more favorable tone in today's dealings, the active United States Government bonds making slight gains and a number of the industrial issues being in demand.

The trend downward, however, was not entirely checked and gilt-edge railroad mortgages and industrial bonds showed little change.

With the exception of the tax exempt 3 1-2's and the Victory 4 3-4's, which were unchanged, all the active United States Government securities advanced slightly, the gains ranging from 4-32 to 19-32 of a point. A gain of 2 7-8 points by Chinese 5's was the outstanding change in the foreign group, in which prices generally were firm.

Total sales, par value, were $15,-699,000.

(Furnished by Burdick Brothers, Limited)
All Fractions in Eighths

Stocks—	High.	Low.	Close.
Allis-Chalmers	48	48	46
Am. Can. Co., com.	66-5	67-7	66-7
Am. Car Fdy.	182	166	186
Am. In. Corp.	36-5	33	33-3
Am. Locomotive	164-7	136-4	136-4
Am. Smelt & Ref.	65	63-7	64-2
Am. Sugar Rfg.	76-4	79	76-3
Am. T. and Tel.	122-3	121-7	121-7
Am. Wool, com.	106-1	106-1	106-3
Am. Steel Fdy.	43-5	40	40
Am. Sum. Tob.	33	36	36-3
Anaconda Mining	50-7	50-1	50-3
Atchison	103-7	103	103-7
Atlantic Gulf	61-5	60-7	60-7
Baldwin Loco.	141-2	166-4	136-4
Baltimore & Ohio	54-3	53-5	53-6
Bethlehem Steel	66-6	66-6	66-4
Brooklyn Transit	5	4	4
Canadian Pacific	146-2	148-2	149
Central Leather	37-4	37-2	37-4
Crucible Steel	81-2	80-2	81
Chesapeake & Ohio	72-1	72	72
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	24-2	24-2	24-2
Chic., R. I. & Pac.	36	34-1	35-4
Cons. Gas	66-6	66-6	66
Chino Copper	29-4	23-2	29-4
Cal Petroleum	101-4	100	100-6
Chile Copper	26-7	26-4	28-6
Corn Products	129-7	126	126
Erie	16-3	13-6	12-2
Gen. Electric	186	166-6	186
Gen. Motors	14-7	14-6	14-6
Goodrich (B. F.)	36	36-4	38-4
Gt. Nor. Ore.	35-4	34-6	34-6
Granby	33-7	31-1	33-7
Gt. Northern, pfd.	76-2	76-2	76-2
Inspiration Cop.	39-6	39-6	36-6
Int'l Nickel	15-2	14-6	16-2
Int'l Mer Marine	10-6	10-2	10-3
Int'l Mer. Marine, pfd.	42-6	42-3	42-5
Kennecott Copper	41-7	41-2	41-4
Kan. City Southern	22-6	22	22-6
Lehigh Valley	66-6	66-6	65-6
N. Y., N. H. & Hart.	19-7	16-4	19-4
New York Central	97-4	96	96
Northern Pacific	77-1	76-6	77
Nevada Cons. Copper	16-4	16-1	16-4
Pennsylvania R. R.	46-6	46	15
People's Gas	91	90-3	91
Pressed Steel Car	68-2	68-2	68-2
Reading	77-6	77-4	77-4
Ry. Steel Spring	121-6	121-6	121-6
Rey Cons. Mining	15-4	15-1	15-4
Republic Steel	63-6	62-1	62-1
Sin. Oil	37-7	36-6	36-6
Southern Pacific	62-2	61-5	61-8
Southern Ry., com.	33-4	33	33-4
Studebaker Corpn.	124-3	123-3	126-3
The Texas Company	52	51-2	51-3
Tob. Prod.	84-3	66-7	84
Union Pacific	140-6	110	140-4
Utah Copper	72-6	72	72-7
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	71-5	70-7	70-7
U. S. Rubber	62-7	62-2	62-5
U. S. Steel, com.	108-7	107-6	107-3
Virginia Chem.	22-3	18-2	19
Wabash R. R., "A"	32	31-6	31-6
Willys-Overland	7-2	7-1	7-1
Westinghouse Elec.	64-4	64-3	64-2
Allied Chem & Dye	75-7	74-7	75-4
Phillips Petroleum	68-7	67-7	68-6
Standard Oil, Indiana	67-6	66-6	67-5
Sears Roebuck	67	87	67
Am. Ship & Commerce	16-3	18-1	16-3
Shell Union	15-4	15-2	15-6
Am. Linseed	34-4	34-3	34-4
General Asphalt	50-6	46-3	49-4
Kelly Springfield	50-4	49-3	49-3
Coca Cola	76	75-2	75-2
Columbia Graphophone	2-3	2-6	2-6
Chic. & Northwest Ry.	84	82-4	82-4
Famous Play. Las. Cor.	89-6	88	88-4
Key. Tire & Rubber Co.	10-6	10-5	10-6
Nat. Enamel	70-4	70-4	70-4
Nevada Consolidated	16-4	16-1	16-4
Martin Parry Corp.	33	31-4	32
Pere Marquette	39-3	36-1	36-1
Endicott Johnson	75-1	74-4	74-4
Transcontinental Oil	12-2	12-2	13-6
Invincible Oil	16	18-1	18-6
White Motors	57-4	57	57
Pullman Co.	130	129	130
Pacific Oil	43-6	43-2	43-4
Pan-American	81	80-3	80-3
Bosch Car	51-6	50-6	51-3
Chandler Motors	72	70-7	72
Houston Oil	70	66-6	66-3
Cuban Cane Sugar	16-7	16-4	16-4
Pierce Arrow	16-3	13	16
Retail Stores	81-7	80	81-7
Stan. Oil of California	56-1	55-6	55-6
Replogle Steel	28	27-4	27-4
Royal Dutch	51-3	50-4	50-4
Texas Pacific Ry.	27	26-6	26-6
Cosden	56-2	56-6	56-7
Vanadium	43-1	41-6	42
Stromburg Car	67-6	67-3	67-6
Middlestates Oil	16	11-6	11-7
Texas Gulf Sulphur	61-6	61-3	61-3
Montgomery Ward	23-1	23-1	66-1
Midvale Steel	30-6	30-2	30-4
Pure Oil	39-2	28-5	28-6
Mexican Seaboard	16-3	18	16
Gulf States Steel	100-6	36	100-6

MONTREAL STOCKS

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	Close.
Bell Telephone	120
Brazilian Trac.	46-6
Can. Cement, pfd.	106-4
Can. Car Fdy., com.	30-4
Can. Car Fdy., pfd.	76-4
Can. S. S., com.	26-3
Can. S. S., pfd.	51
Can. Cottons	167
Can. Gen. Elec.	86-6
Can. Cottons, pfd.	69
Cons. M. & S.	26-4
Detroit United	77
Dom. Bridge	74
Dom. Textile	70-6
L. of Woods Mlg.	180
Laurentide Co.	92
Brompton Paper	40
Mon. Power	114-4
Howard Smith	53
Can. Converters	66
National Breweries	50-6
National Breweries, pfd.	88-3
Royal Bank	217
Asbestos, pfd.	69-4
Quebec Ry.	22
Shawinigan	118
Spanish Riv. Pulp	96
Spanish Riv. Pulp, pfd.	106
Steel of Can.	71-4
Toronto Ry.	67

NEW YORK SUGAR

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Raw Sugar—	Close.
May, per lb.	6.68c
July, per lb.	6.65c
Sept., per lb.	6.05c
Dec., per lb.	5.80c
Jan., per lb.	5.40c
Mar., per lb.	5.25c

NEW YORK EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 28.—Sterling exchange irregular at $4.66⅛ for 60-day bills and at $4.68⅛ for demand.
Canadian dollars, 98¼.
France, demand, 6.64.
Lire, demand, 4.92⅜.
Belgium—Demand, 5.66; cables, 5.68⅛.
Germany—Demand, .0043¼; cables, .0048½.
Holland—Demand, 39.41; cables, 39.44.
Norway—Demand, 16.07.
Sweden—Demand, 26.58.
Denmark—Demand, 18.19.
Switzerland—Demand, 18.46.
Spain—Demand, 15.87.
Greece—Demand, 1.21.
Poland—Demand, .0024.
Czecho-Slovakia—Demand, 2.96½.
Argentina—Demand, 37.07.
Brazil—Demand, 11.05.

CANADIAN STERLING

Buying price, 4.74⅝.
Selling price, 4.77⅝.

NEW YORK CURB

(Furnished by Burdick Brothers, Limited)

Industrials	Bid.	Asked.
Acme Coal	40	46
Centrifugal	16⅝	14¼
Checker Cab	36¼	68
Durant Del.	60½	61
Mesabi	10¼	11¼
Stutz	18⅛	16
Radio	4⅝	4½
Reo	10⅝	16⅝
Tob. Prod. Ex.	6⅛	3¼
Un. Profit Shar.	5⅝	5⅝
Un. Retail Candy	6½	7
Cities Svc., com.	184	133
Cities Svc., pfd.	66¼	70
Cities Svc., Bkrs.	16⅛	16⅝
Oils		
Carib.	3¼	6⅛
Federal	36	68
Gilliland	6¼	6½
Glenrock	1⅛	1½
Int. Pete.	23½	26⅝
Keystone Ranger	27	63
Marl. Mexico	6¼	3¼
Mexico Oil	1 3-16	1¼
Mutual Oil	13⅞	14
Noble Oil	31	66
Pennock	14¼	14¼
Ryan Cons.	6⅛	6⅝
Sapulpa	4⅝	4⅝
Salt Cr. Cons.	16⅛	16⅝
Seaboard Oil	2⅛	3½
Texan Oil Land	46	47
Wilcox	9	9½
Mines		
Ariz. Globe	65	67
Butte & West	1½	1⅝
Cal. Jerome	16	20
Candelabria	24	66
Cons. Copper	3½	6⅝
Crasson	2⅝	2½
Delores	1⅛	2
Eureka	20	21
Hecla	6	6¼
Hollinger	16	16½
Ind. Lead	40	42
J. V. Dev.	3	6⅛
Kerr Lake	3¼	3⅝
Mason Valley	6½	6⅝
Ny. Porcupine	60	63
Nipissing	6	6¼
Ohio Cop.	30	33
Ray Herc.	6⅝	5⅝
Simons Lead	36	34
Success	60	68
Tuolomne	46	46
Un. Eastern	2⅛	3
Un. Verde Ext.	37	37½
Wayne Coal	2⅝	3⅞

VICTORIA EXCHANGE

(By F. W. Stevenson, 102 Pemberton Bldg.)

	Bid.	Asked.
Athabasca Oil	.13	.16
Bowena Copper	..	.06
Boundary Bay Oil	.00¼	.00⅝
B.C. Perm. Loan	88.00	..
B.C. Fishing Co.	20.00	25.00
B.C. Refining Co.	..	.36
B.C. Silver	.75	..
Canada Copper	..	.03
Can. Nat. Fire	50.00	..
Cons. M. & S.	27.00	26.00
Crow's Nest Coal	..	52.00
Cork Province	.10	..
Douglas Channel	.03½	..
Empire Oil	.01	.01½
Granby	23.00	31.00
Great West Perm.	..	40.00
Howe Sound	3.00	4.75
Hemlock Gold	..	.35
Indian Mines	.30	..
Int'l Coal	..	.21
McGillivray	.46	..
Nugget	.00½	.01½
Pacific Coast Fire	3.30	..
Rambler-Cariboo	.05	..
Silversmith	.48	..
Silver Crest	..	.04
Spartan Oil	.02¼	.02⅝
Snowstorm	.03	.04
Standard Lead	.23	..
Sunloch Mines	..	.25
Surf Inlet	..	.29
Stewart Lands	..	10.00
Trojan Oil	.01⅛	.01¼
Utility Oil	.00¼	.00⅝
Whelen, com.	4.00	..
Whelen, pfd.	..	20.00
Wonderphone	..	.30

VICTORIA VICTORY BOND

Victory Loan, 5½%

	Will Buy	Will Sell
1st Nov., 1923	1001.50	1011.60
1st Nov., 1924	1004.50	1014.30
1st Dec., 1927	1030.00	1040.00
1st Nov., 1666	1066.60	1066.50
1st Nov., 1684	1024.00	1034.00
1st Dec., 1687	1075.00	1065.00
1st Nov., 1933	1013.50	1029.50
War Loan, 5%		
1st Dec., 1323	1008.60	1026.50
1st Oct., 1961	1006.00	1013.00
1st March, 1637 (payable in New York)	1024.30	1034.50

Add interest accrued to date:
Per $1,000—1622, 1327, 1637 Victories, 17.63.
Per $1,000—1623, 1324, 1633, 1334 Victories, 22.15.

SILVER AND MONEY

LONDON, March 28.—Bar silver 32 13-16d per ounce. Money 6¼ per cent.

Discount rates: Short and three months' bills 6⅛ and 2 6-16 per cent.

New York Rates

NEW YORK, March 28.—Bar silver, foreign, 68⅛.

Call money easier; high 3⅝; low 6; ruling rate 6⅝; closing bid 5, offered at 3¼; last loan 3; call loans against acceptances 6.

Time loans firm; mixed collateral, 60-90 days, 6½; 4-6 months, 5½.

WORLD'S METAL MARKETS

NEW YORK, March 28.—Copper firm. Electrolytic, spot and futures 17⅜c.
Tin firm, spot and nearby $47.37; futures $47.73.
Iron steady and unchanged.
Lead steady, spot $8.25.
Zinc easy, spot and nearby $7.73.
Antimony, spot $6.73.

At London

Standard copper, spot £74; futures £74 13s.
Electrolytic, spot £81; futures £83.
Tin, spot £216 2s 6d; futures £216 17s 6d.
Lead, spot and futures £26 6s.
Zinc, spot £36 16s 6d; futures £35 15s.

U. S. LIBERTY BONDS

Closing Bids

Liberty 3½'s	100.20 @	100.22
Liberty 1st 4's	96.16 @	96.16
Liberty 1st 4¼'s	97.03 @	97.06
Liberty 2nd 4¼'s	97.40 @	96.26
Liberty 3rd 4¼'s	96.26 @	97.66
Liberty 4th 4¼'s	97.16 @	97.07
Victories 4¾'s	100.20 @	100.10
U.S. 4¼'s	33.20 @	66.14

NEW YORK COTTON

(Furnished by Burdick Brothers, Limited)

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	66.80	29.47	26.70	28.62
July	26.45	68.60	27.66	28.13
Oct.	66.43	65.64	36.00	33.20
Dec.	64.78	34.66	64.46	64.35
Jan.	34.37	24.66	34.15	64.25

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, March 28.—Eggs steady; potatoes fair; butter and cheese quiet.
Cheese—Finest Easterns, 25c.
Butter—Choicest creamery, 47½c.
Eggs—Selected, 36c to 37c.
Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, $1.

YESTERDAY'S EXCHANGE

(Furnished by Burdick Brothers, Limited)
New York sterling, 4.68⅛.
France, 6.66.
Lire, 4.88½.
London bar silver, 32 13-16d.

DECREASED EARNINGS OF CANADIAN PACIFIC

MONTREAL, March 23.—Canadian Pacific Railway earnings for the month of February were $11,159,-864.97; expenses, $10,664,371.34; net earnings, $495,493.63, a decrease of $158,994.21.

The decrease in the gross earnings was $143,828.06.

WINNIPEG MARKET PASSED QUIET DAY

Wheat Was Little Firmer Early in the Session, But Later It Eased Off in Its Tendency

WINNIPEG, March 28.—The local market was a narrow affair today, a little firmer during the early part of the day but showing an easier tendency later on in a quiet session. Both futures closed at the low point of the day, recording a loss of ⅜ cent from yesterday's final figures.

No inspections reported.

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	116⅝	114⅝	116¼	116⅛
July	117⅛	116	117⅛	117¼
Oats—				
May	46⅝	46⅞	49⅛	49⅛b
July	49⅛	49⅛	48⅞	49a
Barley—				
May	67⅞	37⅞	57⅝	67⅝
July	56	36	56⅛	38⅝a
Flax—				
May	267	259½	252⅝	253⅝
July	243	248	242⅛	244⅞
Rye—				
May	82⅝	62⅝	62⅝a	82⅝b
July	83⅛	63⅝	63	83⅛b

Cash prices: Wheat—1 nor., 114⅝; 2 nor., 112⅛; 3 nor., 106⅜; No. 4, 106⅜; No. 5, 37⅛; No. 6, 30⅛; feed, 64⅛; track, 114⅞.

Oats—2 cw., 61¼; 3 cw. and extra 1 feed, 46⅝; 1 feed, 45; 2 feed, 44; rejected, 43; track, 31¼.

Barley—3 cw., 66¼; 4 cw., 52¼; rejected and feed, 46¼; track, 36⅛.

Flax—1 nwc., 657⅝; 2 cw., 252⅝; 3 cw. and rejected, 663⅝; track, 256⅝.

Rye—2 cw., 60⅞.

JULY WHEAT SOUGHT ON CHICAGO MARKET

On the Other Hand May Was Under Moderate Pressure—Buyers Showing More Faith

(Furnished by Burdick Brothers, Limited)

CHICAGO, Ill., March 28.—Wheat: There has been a pretty good class of buying today of the July wheat and the May, on the other hand, has been under moderate pressure, resulting in a narrowing of the difference between these two months. The May continues to be affected by scattered liquidation, and also by the big load which has been put on it recently, while the current news is less bullish. Omaha reports sales of 200,000 bushels more to come here, while there were sales to go to store here of 100,000 bushels. Foreign news was about a standoff, and cables were only 1-8 to 1-2 up at the finish. The West and Southwest need more rain and plenty of it. The wheat in part of the territory east of the Mississippi has suffered to some extent also from the extreme cold weather mixed with thawing periods. The Northwestern Miller says that buyers are showing more confidence in the stability of prices and are buying more generally. Some durum wheat is being sold right along, and some of our domestic wheat is being cleared every day. While flour clearances today were 54,000 barrels, we feel friendly to the new crop months and on setbacks would advise buying.

Corn: Rallied early, but sold off later on commission house offering of a rather heavy sort. The cash demand was less snappy, with prices for cash off about 1-4 cent relatively to the future. The shipping sales were small, at 30,000 bushels. Country offerings extremely light, except in a few instances. The late Spring will make farm delivery out of the question for some time, and should there be any demand for local corn supplies the market would respond easily in the pit, but the fear of heavy May delivery is making for a two-sided market just at present.

Oats: No big change in part, but the bulges met with fair offering, while there was a little buying by cash interests. Country sales light, but a bearish handicap at the moment is the liberal primary run, which is about twice as big as a year ago. Receipts here, 63 cars; local sales were 30,000 bushels, with price 1-4 cent lower relatively. On the dips look for good support.

All Fractions in Eighths

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sept.	114-6	114-7	114	114-3
May	119-7	120	116	119-1
July	116	116-1	115-4	115-4
Corn—				
Sept.	77-6	77-6	76-7	76-7
May	74-6	74-4	76-7	74-6
July	76-6	76-6	76	76-1
Oats—				
Sept.	43-1	43-1	42-6	43
May	45-1	43-1	44-6	44-6
July	44-6	44-7	44-5	44-3

EAST KOOTENAY POWER HAS LARGE CONTRACTS

Market for New Developments on Elk River Will Be Available It Is Reported

Favorable developments are reported in connection with the East Kootenay Power Company, Limited. Of the total of 22,000 horsepower that is being developed, the Bull River plant has an installed capacity of 7,200 horsepower, and it is expected that the earnings of this plant alone by early Summer will be more than sufficient to cover the bond interest on the $2,000,000 issue made for the financing of the whole undertaking. A market for a large portion of the new power that is being developed on the Elk River will be available as soon as it is ready for distribution. This, in turn, will add materially to the present earning power, and should leave a substantial sum available for stock dividends, whenever these are considered advisable.

The East Kootenay district has long occupied an important place in the mining industry of Canada, particularly in the mining of coal and zinc lead. It is worthy of note that seventeen per cent of the world's supply of coal is located in Canada, and that two-thirds of the whole Canadian supply is contained in the Kootenay district.

The territory within which the power company is operating has grown to be an important industrial centre. Contracts entered into by the East Kootenay Power Company, besides covering the cities of Cranbrook and Fernie, B.C., include a supply of power for the new concentrator of the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company, for its Sullivan Mine; Hillcrest Collieries, the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Co., International Coal & Coke Co., Corbin Coal & Coke Co., McGillivray Creek Coal & Coke Co., Western Canadian Collieries, and others.

The original copy of the Declaration of Independence is kept at the Department of State, Washington, District of Columbia.

MIGHT OVERCOME ADVERSE EXCHANGE

Suggested Reserve in Canada Towards Paying Britain's Debt to United States

At the annual meeting of Bovril Limited, held in London last month, Sir George Lawson Johnston, who presided, in presenting a very satisfactory report to the shareholders, took occasion to suggest a means which might tend to prevent the turning of exchange against the Mother Country, which these heavy remittances would provoke.

He spoke as follows:

"It was that we should build up in Canada a reserve towards the payment of the American debt. The Canadian and United States dollars were not likely to vary seriously in value, therefore any fund we could build up in the Dominion would be comparatively free from exchange fluctuations. Canada was capable of being developed at a much more rapid pace than the present capital and man power at its disposal could develop it. Our Government could now borrow at a lower rate than it had been able to do for a good many years. If it could obtain grants of land from Canada it could utilize, say, one hundred million pounds in developing wheat areas, and probably certain industries in that Dominion; and this work, in conjunction with some considerable emigration scheme of selected unemployed, should develop in Canada a reproductive asset that would, after a while, annually supply dollars towards the payment to the States. Furthermore, every bushel of wheat bought from Canada instead of from the States would help to keep our exchange better with the latter.

"We might thus accelerate the pace at which Canada was growing strong, and, at the same time, build up an asset that would much reduce the burden of the American debt, and probably, in the process, some of the money we provided would purchase from our manufacturers agricultural implements and other machinery, etc.

"Any such scheme, to be successful, would have to be planned and brought forward by Canadians to meet their own views as regards the directions in which development should take place. If it was put forward at present they could feel, at any rate, that Canadian conditions would be understood by a British Premier, who was born in Canada, and a Colonial Secretary who had recently served as Governor-General."

This suggestion has been re-echoed lately elsewhere and might be worth the serious consideration of the powers that be.

Sir George Lawson Johnston is well known in Canada, and not only those who know him, but all who study general trade conditions will be interested in the fact that the export business of Bovril in 1922 was over twenty per cent greater than that of its previous record—and the company's net earnings also showed very satisfactory results.

COMING EVENTS

Baby Clinic Meeting—The Esquimalt Baby Clinic will meet in the Lampson Street School on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

St. Jude's Social Guild—The St. Jude's Social Guild will not hold a meeting this week, but will meet on Tuesday afternoon, April 3, at the church at 2:30.

Girls' Corner Club—There will be no meeting of the Girls' Corner Club this week. The club will reopen after Easter on Thursday, April 5, when Mr. J. H. Maynard will give an address on India, illustrated by lantern slides.

Easter Sale—St. Mark's W. A. will hold its Easter sale of work on Wednesday, April 4. Sale to be opened at 3 p.m. by Mrs. Belson, the diocesan president. Usual stalls of plain and fancy needlework, home cooking, candy, afternoon tea; supper served.

Lecture on Divine Healing — Dr. Westwood will be in the Reformed Episcopal Sunday school at 2:30 this afternoon for consultation. He will also lecture on "Divine Healing" in the British-Israel book room, Cook Street, near Fort, at 8 p.m.

Good Friday Services—At St. Paul's Naval Station and Garrison Church at Esquimalt the following services will be held on Good Friday: Matins at 8 in the morning; litany and anti-communion, with short service, at 10:30; and mission service at 7 in the evening.

Easter Services—Divine service will be held in the Reformed Episcopal Church at 11 on Good Friday morning. The Easter service on Sunday will be appropriate for the season. Holy communion will be administered at both morning and evening services.

Home Cooking—The St. John's senior branch of the C. G. I. T. will hold a home cooking stall at the main entrance of the Hudson's Bay Store, Douglas Street, on Saturday. Any contributions of home cooking will be greatly appreciated by the girls, and may be left at the St. John's schoolroom or at the stall during Saturday.

Easter Sale of Work—Island Temple, No. 3, Pythian Sisters, will hold an Easter sale of work in the premises on Yates Street formerly known as the Richardson Store. The sale will be opened at 11 o'clock in the morning by Mrs. A. W. Jameson. Afternoon tea will be served, and Easter novelties and various other useful articles will be for sale.

Good Friday Services—In Christ Church Cathedral tomorrow the following services will be held: Litany and ante-communion at 7:30 a.m.; children's service, 9:30 a.m.; matins and sermon by the bishop, 10:30 a.m.; three hours' service, with addresses by the dean, 12 noon; evensong, 5:15 p.m. The choir will sing the sacred oratorio, "The Crucifixion," by Sir John Stainer, at an evening service at 8 o'clock. The offerings at all services on Good Friday are devoted to work among the Jews in Canada.

Canadian Scottish.—A general meeting of the Canadian Scottish Rifle Association will be held at the Armory this evening at 9 o'clock. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected and it is requested that all honorary officers of the association and officers of the Reserve Battalion who are interested in shooting will attend.

Bazaar This Afternoon—The guard team of the Queen Alexandra Review has been working very hard for some time to make a grand success of the bazaar to be held this afternoon in the store recently occupied by the Richardson dry goods store on Yates Street, near Broad. Two o'clock is the opening time, but people will be in attendance from 9:30 in the morning to receive articles not delivered before.

Dance Tonight—The committee in charge of the big dance and potlatch, which will be held in the Knights of Pythias Hall, North Park Street, tonight, under the auspices of the Dramatic Order Knights of Khorassan, an adjunct to the Knights of Pythias, has made all preparations for the event, which will take place at 8 o'clock. Dancing will be continued to 2 a.m. Findler's orchestra will supply a programme of the latest dances. Prizes will be given for the best costumes. The potlatch will run from 8 to 11 p.m. Special attractions have been arranged, and the event promises to eclipse any previous entertainment. Tickets can be obtained at the door, and a good time is promised all those who are in attendance.

Ministerial Association—Good Friday morning a meeting will be held in the Metropolitan Methodist Church at 10:30, under the auspices of the local Ministerial Association, Rev. Dr. T. Wilson, president of the association, presiding. During the meeting an address will be given by the Rev. Dr. Leslie Clay on an Easter theme, a Scripture lesson will be read by Rev. A. K. McMinn, and devotional exercises will be conducted by Rev. Dr. Saunby, assisted by Rev. W. P. Freeman. Dr. Sipprell will make a statement regarding the mission services shortly to be held. All ministers co-operating in the mission are requested to attend, as well as the general public.

Elks' Dance Tonight—All arrangements have been completed by members of the Elks' Lodge for their last dance of the present season, which will be held tonight in their hall, Weiler Block, Douglas Street. Dancing will commence at 9 o'clock, and the music will be furnished by Heaton's orchestra. A buffet supper will be served during the evening. Dress will be informal. A feature of the function will be the second game of the series of balloon hockey contests between members of the Elks' Order and the Ladies of the Royal Purple, Elks' Auxiliary. A few invitations for tonight's dance are still available, and may be had on application to the secretary, phone 656. The Elks intend holding a series of flannel dances during the Summer months.

Native Daughters of B. C. — A meeting of the Native Daughters of B. C., Post No. 3, was held last night in the Victoria Club. Announcement was made that Mrs. Paul Smith, of Vancouver, Grand Factor, will visit the lodge on April 25. A representative from the Y. W. C. A. will be asked to give a short address concerning the work of that organization at the next meeting, which will also be initiation night, when several members will be received into the post. On April 7 a tag day will be held in aid of the Jubilee Hospital, and members of the lodge are requested to notify Mrs. McDonnell (23R) of their intention of aiding in this event. On April 8 a "hike" will be inaugurated, when the members will meet at Terry's Drug Store, Fort Street, at 11 o'clock, and the party will walk out to the home of Mrs. Yates, at Langford. The cabaret to take place at the Empress Hotel on April 3 was discussed, and the members were pleased to hear that Madame Vaida will return from Vancouver for the occasion, and will dance at the cabaret with Mr. Gordon Gibson.

SIR MICHAEL SADLER OPENS CANADIAN TOUR

Speaks Under Auspices of National Council of Education on "Outlook of Education"

FREDERICTON, N.B., March 28.—Sir Michael Sadler, vice-chancellor of the University of Leeds, commenced his Canadian tour here last night under the auspices of the National Council of Education when he addressed a large audience on "The Outlook of Education."

Sir Michael referred to the action of the British Government 25 years ago in preparing a series of printed reports on the educational systems of the various self-governing Dominions of the Empire, which had been edited under his personal supervision. This action constituted recognition of the value obtained from comparisons of the various systems in the general progress of education.

Consider Canadian Suggestions

During the twenty-five years which had since elapsed, he said, lessons which had been obtained from Canada in educational matters had not been forgotten, and educational suggestions which were being received from this side of the water were receiving careful consideration by British educationists. The education in itself deals with humanity, and that human spirit is fundamentally unified was one of the basic facts discovered through a lifetime spent in educational work, which the speaker brought home to his hearers, declaring that the path to wisdom and truth in education lay along the line of endeavoring to do for others what one would do for himself. The most important change which had come over Europe in recent years, especially during the years of war and subsequently, was a widespread desire for the opportunity of a wide and liberal education, said Sir Michael.

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Marine and Transportation

ADMIRAL LINERS STAY ON PACIFIC

FIVE BIG AMERICAN SHIPS TO REMAIN ON ROUTE

Shipping Board Head Assures Admiral Line of Vessels' Future—No Drastic Action Planned

SEATTLE, March 28.—Maintaining the American flag in the Puget Sound-Oriental routes, the Shipping Board's five big, palatial passenger liners will continue to operate out of Seattle indefinitely, it was announced yesterday by R. Stanley Dollar, president of the Admiral Oriental Line.

He said that Chairman A. D. Lasker of the Board had given assurance that no drastic changes would be made, the paramount purpose of the Board being to maintain and build up the great trade routes by assuring regular and permanent freight and passenger services.

Ever since the defeat of the subsidy bill, reports have been widely circulated that the Shipping Board probably would withdraw its five big passenger liners from the Puget Sound-Oriental run.

No Drastic Action Planned

"There will be no drastic action as regards the five 535-footers allocated by the Board to Seattle," Mr. Dollar said. "Chairman Lasker has given that assurance. Nothing will be done to upset present arrangements in any way. The ships will continue to run to and from Seattle indefinitely. I feel absolutely confident that there will be no change of any kind. The Shipping Board is most anxious to build up the great trade routes, and it is the Board's paramount purpose to give Americans regular and permanent freight and passenger services under their own flag.

"If the Seattle ships should be sold in the course of time, I am positive the deal will be closed on the specific understanding that they will remain in their present service. Shippers need not feel uneasy about contracting ahead for the transportation of their freight. Passengers need have no hesitation in making reservations far ahead. The ships will stay. Business is developing out of the Puget Sound gateway.

"While the passenger business in the transpacific run is not so good as we had expected, we hope to develop it on a large scale. We are working constantly to that end. The freight business is good."

LUMBER SHIPMENTS

Number of Vessels Load at Chemainus for Australia—Quantity Also Sent East

CHEMAINUS, March 28. — The American six-masted barkentine cleared from this port on Friday last for Genoa Bay, where she will complete her cargo for Sydney, Australia.

The SS. Canadian Importer, of the C.G.M.M., entered this port on March 21 from Genoa Bay, and cleared for the same place on March 27. While here she loaded lumber for Australia.

Shipments of lumber from the Victoria Lumber & Manufacturing Company mill last week were twenty-eight cars of lumber for Prairie, Eastern and U.S.A. points.

Mr. A. E. Collyer, of the Horseshoe Bay Inn, is having extensive alterations made; quite a number of skilled carpenters are on the job, and the work will be put through as soon as possible before the Summer tourists come through.

JAPANESE SHIPS HERE

The N.Y.K. steamer Iyo Maru and the O.S.K. Hawaii Maru both made port yesterday morning. The Nippon Yusen Kaisha ship came in with a new master aboard, Capt. T. Horiuchi being now in command. The Hawaii arrived with Capt. T. Suruga on the bridge as usual. Both steamers left for Seattle after landing passengers, mails and cargo here.

MALASPINA HERE

The fisheries patrol steamer Malaspina came in from cruising yesterday afternoon and tied up for the night at the Grand Trunk docks.

MOTHER! MOVE CHILD'S BOWELS

"California Fig Syrup" is Child's Best Laxative

Even if cross, feverish, bilious, constipated or full of cold, children love the "fruity" taste of "California Fig Syrup." A teaspoonful never fails to clean the liver and bowels. In a few hours you can see for yourself how thoroughly it works all the souring food and nasty bile out of the stomach and bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

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Skeena Fleet Towed to Fishing Grounds

Fishing Boats on the Skeena Being Towed, Twenty or Thirty Together, From the Cannery to the Fishing Grounds When the Salmon Begin to Run. Hundreds of These Boats All Summer Dot the Surface of This Magnificent Stream, Making a Picture of Unique Beauty, With the Snow-Capped Mountains in the Background.

DEWEY RETURNS TO ROUTE TOMORROW

SAILS FROM VICTORIA FOR SAN FRANCISCO AT 4 P.M.

Carries First Canadian Flour to Republic of Panama—Admiral Line Schedule Back on Old Basis

With the sailing of the steamer Admiral Dewey from Victoria for San Francisco tomorrow, the Admiral Line will again be giving the city a bi-weekly service to California. The schedule will be the same as last Summer's, with the Admiral Dewey and the Admiral Schley sailing on alternate Fridays, and the Dorothy Alexander and Ruth Alexander on alternate Sundays.

Although the usual sailing hour for all ships will be 9 a.m., the Schley will not leave tomorrow until 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The vessel was late on her last trip north from San Francisco, and will be unable to reach Victoria before 3 p.m., leaving again an hour later.

Among her cargo, the Schley is taking 1,000 barrels of Canadian flour, shipped at Vancouver, for Panama. Flour from the Dominion has gone to Mexican and Central American destinations in the past, but this is believed to be the first occasion when Panama has taken any, and its departure, therefore, is regarded with more than usual interest. The barrels will be transshipped at San Francisco and carried South by the Pacific Mail coasters.

SHIPPING IS BRISK AT CAMPBELL RIVER

Union Oil Company Installing Tanks at Coast Ports—New Boat for Missionary Work

CAMPBELL RIVER, March 28.—The steamer Chilcoot spent Sunday afternoon tied up to the wharf, awaiting the turn of the tide before facing Seymour Narrows. Her genial captain says that freight business is brisker than ever, especially up north. The Imperial Oil Company is installing oil tanks, of 2,000 gallons each, at Bella Coola, Powell River and other points along this coast, and the Chilcoot is taking them to their several destinations.

Gets New Steamer

The Union Steamship Company's new steamer Cardena was launched on March 23, on the Clyde. She is 220 feet long and 34 feet abeam, and has accommodation for 100 passengers. Captain "Dad" Dickson, of the Camosun, has gone to Scotland to bring her out West, for the Union Steamship Company, by way of the Panama Canal. The Cardena will be the company's finest boat and will be on the Anyox route. She is to have the very latest freight handling devices and be thoroughly up to date. She will be out here about the end of May and will be a frequent caller at Campbell River. Her boilers and engines are now being installed.

Builds New Boat

Mr. E. Painter, Campbell River's boat builder, has secured the contract to build the new power boat for Rev. R. C. Scott, which will be used for missionary work on this coast. The keel will shortly be laid. When completed and launched, the new boat will replace Mr. Scott's present launch, which will then be put out of commission.

CANADIAN FARMER HERE LAST NIGHT

The steamer Canadian Farmer, of the C.G.M.M., was in port shortly after midnight this morning discharging cargo from San Pedro and San Francisco. The vessel proceeded to Vancouver later. While here she loaded some tons of freight for northern points which will be transshipped at Vancouver and sent north on the Prince Rupert.

League of Nations Open To Russia and Germany

Could Join If They Made Application, Says Lord Robert Cecil on Arrival in New York

NEW YORK, March 28.—Soviet Russia and Germany probably would be admitted to the League of Nations if they made applications in a proper way, Lord Robert Cecil, foremost British exponent of the league, declared yesterday upon his arrival here.

"I would like to see America join the league," he said, "but I am just as strong an advocate of Germany's entrance. Russia would be better in the league than out."

JAPANESE AIM AT SPEED SUPREMACY

T.K.K. TO EQUIP LINERS WITH BATTLESHIPS' ENGINES

Two Mammoth Nippon Steamers Will Be Built to Contest for the Pacific Speed Honors

Big liners, equipped with engines removed from giant battleships, will be built by the Toyo Kisen Kaisha in efforts to win the speed supremacy of the Pacific, according to Japanese press reports. The company, which operates a fleet of steamers between the Orient and San Francisco, has been finding that the cream of the passenger and cargo business has been going to the faster Canadian Pacific and Admiral Line vessels, and now purposes to build two liners as big and as fast as the biggest. The ships as planned will be over 20,000 tons, and will be able to do better than 20 knots.

The most interesting feature of the new T. K. K. liners will be their machinery. The engines designed and built for the dreadnaughts Tosa and Kaga, and which are now being removed from those vessels, will be utilized to propel the big merchant craft. The Tosa and Kaga were to have been the last word in capital ship construction, but were scrapped by Japan under the terms of the Washington conference agreement.

NEWFOUNDLAND NEWS

ST. JOHN'S, Nfd., March 27.—With the release today of the mail steamer Kyle, held in an ice field more than a week, mail from Canada to St. John's, interrupted for two weeks, will be resumed.

Her sister boats, Glencoe and Argyle, still are frozen in. Reports from the sealing fleet today placed the catch at 50,000, with the season still five weeks to go.

SPRING LATE ON LAKES

SAULT STE. MARIE, Ont., March 28.—Among marine men here it is not expected that the first vessel will reach the Soo much before May 1 this year, for the severe weather of the present month, particularly of the last ten days, has retarded the Spring breakup considerably.

The first boat arrived last year on April 17.

French Cabinet Approves Naval Programme Bill

PARIS, March 28.—The draft of a naval bill for the construction of the second section of the naval programme was approved by the cabinet yesterday. The first section of the programme was voted by the parliament last April. The present bill covers the construction of vessels of light tonnage during the period of 1925-30.

The cabinet also approved a bill for coast defence and will shortly send it to parliament.

TO CURE BACKACHE

A SPECIALIST'S ADVICE.

Backache, that excruciating, agonizing pain in the small of the back which almost drives one crazy, and often makes the slightest movement torture, is almost invariably due to the failure of the kidneys to do their work properly. The first thing that happens when the kidneys begin to fail is the deposit of uric acid crystals, which usually first make their presence felt in the nerve sheathes in the big muscles of the back and hips. Whenever that condition occurs, there are two things to be done; first, dissolve out the uric acid crystals, and second, restore the natural tone and vigor of the kidneys, so that the uric acid which continually forms in the body is filtered from the blood and flushed out of the system in a natural manner instead of being permitted to collect and crystallize as described above. Formerly, to accomplish these two objects it was necessary to take expensive courses of treatment at famous springs, but an eminent scientist has recently discovered that the same result may be secured at slight expense by drinking, three or four times a day, a glass of water in which has been dissolved a teaspoonful of refined **Alkia Saltrates**. These saltrates, which in their refined form enable you to reproduce the curative and medicinal properties of the most famous springs, and are obtainable of any chemist, will, in a few days, not only remove all uric acid from the blood, thus causing backache, rheumatism and lumbago to disappear, but they will also at the same time entirely restore the kidneys to normal activity and perfect health, thus guaranteeing freedom from future attacks. (Advt.)

GRANT ARRIVES AT TEN THIS MORNING

ADMIRAL LINER TO LAND 400 TONS OF CARGO HERE

Vessel Due at Government Docks Shortly After 11 o'Clock—Will Be Here Several Hours

The President Grant, of the Admiral-Oriental Line, will reach quarantine at ten o'clock this morning. Captain M. M. Jensen, master of the ship, wirelessed the company's office here yesterday. It is expected that she will come alongside the Government docks at Ogden Point by 11:30 a.m. at the latest.

The vessel has 400 tons of cargo for Victoria from ports of Japan and China, and will be here for three hours or so discharging.

Among the passengers on the liner are: J. N. Hedrie, president of the Asiatic Lace & Rug Corporation, of New York; Mrs. R. M. Johnson, wife of the U.S. Shipping Board representative in Hong Kong, and her sister, Miss J. Traynor; W. E. Liebtrau, of the Tobacco Products Company, of Shanghai; E. Funk, of the Equitable Eastern Banking Corporation, of Shanghai, wife and family; Miss Marie Bosace, niece of the French consul in Shanghai; Edward McKay, a curio dealer, of Seattle, returning from a tour of the Orient; Mrs. J. B. Douthirt, of New York, and William McDonald, of Edmonton, wife and family.

FERRY TO BE KNOWN AS MOTOR PRINCESS

The Canadian Pacific automobile ferry now under construction by Yarrows, Ltd., for the Sidney-Bellingham service will be named Motor Princess. This name has been selected for the double reason that she will be the first motor vessel in the company's fleet, and will be engaged in catering to motor car travel.

The twin Diesel engines for the ferry arrived at Esquimalt yesterday and will be installed shortly. The craft itself is expected to be ready for slipping off the ways in a few days.

SHIPPING INFORMATION

6 P.M. Weather Report, March 28

Point Grey—Clear; calm; 30.36; 58; sea smooth.

Estevan—Clear; calm; 29.92; 51; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Clear; calm; 30.00; 46; sea smooth.

Alert Bay—Cloudy, calm, 30.18; 76; sea smooth.

Ocean Falls—Clear; calm; 29.95; 55; sea smooth.

Bull Harbor—Fog; calm; 30.04; 40; sea obscured.

Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; calm; 29.95; 44; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Clear; calm; 30.06; 48; sea smooth.

Ship Radio Reports

(By Canadian Government Wireless)

Positions at 8 o'clock last night unless otherwise specified.

Canadian Volunteer left Ocean Falls 5 p.m., southbound; Camosun at Alert Bay 5:30 p.m., northbound; Chelohsin left Ocean Falls 3 p.m., southbound; Apex off Egg Island 1:30 p.m., southbound; Princess Mary off Ivory Island 6 p.m., southbound; Prince Rupert arrived Prince Rupert 3:15 p.m., northbound.

Wairuna, Fanning Island for Vancouver, 751 miles from Vancouver; Kohshun Maru, 44.48 north, 142.14 west, inbound; Toku Maru, 46.35 north, 141.00 west, bound Coos Bay; Caroline Maru, 850 miles from Estevan, bound Japan.

Steamer Movements

PORTLAND, March 28.—Arrived: Pennsylvanian, Hamburg; Solano, Los Angeles; Commercial Spirit, New York; W. S. Porter, Rose City, San Francisco. Sailed: Admiral E. L. Fiske, Kewanee, San Francisco; Yoko Maru, Japan.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 28.—Arrived: Montgomery City, New York; Celilo, Gray's Harbor. Sailed: Manoa, Honolulu; Viking, Seattle; Yosemite, Port Gamble.

ABERDEEN, Wash., March 28.—Arrived: Motorship William Donovan, Carlos, San Pedro; F. S. Loop, San Francisco. Sailed: Cricket, San Pedro; Taikai Maru, Yokohama.

TACOMA, March 28.—Arrived: Henry S. Grove, New York. Sailed: Anyox, Vancouver; La Brea, San Francisco; Santa Olivia, Seattle.

SEATTLE, March 28.—Arrived: Latouche, Southeastern Alaska; Santa Olivia, Manulani, Tacoma; Buenos Ayres, Saginaw, San Francisco; Hawaii Maru, Iyo Maru, Yokohama; Bohemian Club, Port San Luis; Ship St. Paul, Eagle Harbor. Sailed: Queen, Southeastern Alaska; Northwestern, Alaska; Edgar Bowling, Gray's Harbor; Northland, J. A. Moffatt, San Francisco; Admiral Dewey, Everett; Robert Luckenbach, Port Gamble; Admiral Sebree, Nanaimo.

EVERETT, March 28.—Lebec, San Francisco; Pacific, Tacoma.

Arrived

YOKOHAMA, March 24.—President Pierce, San Francisco.

NEW YORK, March 28.—President Van Buren, London; Saxonia, Southampton.

GIBRALTAR, March 27.—President Wilson, New York.

CADIZ, March 28.—Monserrat, New York.

HONG KONG, March 28.—Arabia Maru, Seattle.

TIENTSIN, March 27.—Grace Dollar, San Francisco.

YOKOHAMA, March 25.—Bakersfield, Seattle.

Sailed

HAMBURG, March 27.—Tyrrhenia, New York.

PHILADELPHIA, March 28.—Willhilo, Los Angeles.

BOSTON, March 28.—Swift Star, San Pedro.

SOUTHAMPTON, March 28.—Olympic, New York.

HAVRE, March 28.—La Savoie, New York.

CRISTOBAL, March 27.—Dilwin, Los Angeles; Chester Sun, Robert M. Hopkins, Los Angeles; Moerdijk, San Francisco; Ipswich, Santa Barbara, Seattle.

BUENOS AYRES, March 28.—San Jeronimo, San Pedro.

YOKOHAMA, March 25.—Hoyataka Maru, Seattle.

KOBE, March 26.—Alabama Maru, Tacoma.

SHIELDS, March 28.—City of Victoria, San Pedro.

TIDES AT VICTORIA
MARCH, 1923

Day	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.
1	2:42	7.7	7:34	6.3	12:48	8.7	20:08	2.2
2	3:10	7.0	8:25	6.3	13:40	8.0	20:42	3.2
3	3:38	8.1	9:15	5.6	14:41	8.2	21:20	2.7
4	4:08	8.2	16:05	4.9	15:37	8.2	22:11	3.4
5	4:33	8.4	10:36	4.3	13:38	7.3	22:55	4.2
6	5:02	8.5	11:48	3.3	17:57	7.4	23:40	5.1
7	5:41	8.3	12:45	3.3	18:33	7.1	......	
8	0:27	3.0	6:17	3.2	13:46	8.2	21:32	7.6
9	1:10	6.3	6:59	8.6	14:20	3.0	......	
10	......		7:40	3.3	15:23	2.3	......	
11	......		8:41	3.2	16:31	2.3	......	
12	2:37	8.1	5:06	7.3	9:48	3.1	17:44	3.0
13	3:06	8.2	6:47	7.3	10:49	7.3	18:34	3.1
14	3:33	8.1	7:38	7.0	11:57	7.7	19:20	3.3
15	3:54	7.3	8:30	6.5	13:01	7.0	20:02	3.5
16	3:14	7.3	2:56	5.9	13:57	7.3	20:41	3.3
17	3:21	7.3	3:31	3.4	14:42	7.4	21:13	4.3
18	3:27	3.0	10:08	4.3	16:37	7.2	21:23	4.7
19	3:30	3.0	10:40	4.5	14:23	7.0	22:24	5.3
20	4:22	3.0	11:13	4.2	17:26	6.8	22:52	5.7
21	4:43	7.3	12:41	4.0	18:34	6.7	23:14	6.3
22	4:57	7.3	13:30	3.3	20:01	6.7	22:08	6.3
23	......		4:26	7.3	13:42	3.5	......	
24	......		4:34	3.0	14:33	3.4	......	
25	......		5:37	3.1	15:39	3.2	......	
26	......		6:33	8.0	12:23	3.1	......	
27	......		7:40	7.3	17:13	2.3	......	
28	2:12	7.3	5:37	7.0	10:14	7.0	13:01	3.3
29	1:15	7.3	6:34	6.3	11:48	7.7	13:43	2.3
30	1:32	7.7	7:34	5.5	12:33	7.7	13:36	3.3
31	3:05	3.0	3:60	4.0	14:03	7.3	26:10	3.5

The Time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish High Water from Low Water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The Height is in feet and tenths of a foot, above the average level of lower Low Water.

Esquimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the drydock at any tide, add 18.9 feet to the height of High Water as above given.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of Sunrise and Sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1923:

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Day	Sunrise	Sunset
1	6:55	5:57	17	6:23	6:20
2	6:53	5:58	18	6:20	6:21
3	6:51	6:00	19	6:13	6:23
4	6:43	6:01	20	6:10	6:24
5	6:47	6:03	21	6:14	6:25
6	6:45	6:05	22	6:12	6:27
7	6:43	6:07	23	6:10	6:23
8	6:41	6:08	24	6:08	6:31
9	5:33	6:11	25	6:03	6:32
10	6:37	6:13	26	6:04	6:34
11	6:35	6:14	27	6:02	6:35
12	6:33	6:15	28	6:00	6:30
13	6:31	6:16	29	5:58	6:37
14	6:30	6:17	30	5:57	6:33
15	6:27	6:13	31	5:55	6:33
16	6:25	6:10			

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS
MARCH, 1923
China and Japan

President McKinley—Mails close March 3, 4 p.m.
Empress of Canada—Mails close March 3, 4 p.m.
Manila Maru—Mails close March 3, 4 p.m.
President Jackson—Mails close March 16, 4 p.m.
Empress of Russia—Mails close March 22, 4 p.m.
President Grant—Mails close March 27, 4 p.m.
Empress of Australia—Mails close April 5, 4 p.m.

Australia and New Zealand

Tahiti—Mails close March 13, 4 p.m. Via San Francisco. Due at Wellington April 7.
Ventura (Australia only)—Mails close March 24, 4 p.m. Via San Francisco. Due at Sydney April 17.
Niagara—Mails close March 31, 3 a.m. Direct. Due at Auckland April 21.

LONGSHOREMEN SET NEW RECORDS

LOADED 383,000 FEET OF LUMBER INTO SHIP IN DAY

Victoria Stevedores Handling Loading of German Vessel in Fast Manner—Away Saturday

Victoria longshoremen are making a fine job of the loading of the German steamer Hans Hemsoth at the Canadian Puget Sound mill in the upper harbor. When the vessel arrived it was planned to give her 300,000 feet of lumber daily, the loading of that amount being regarded as a very good day's work. The gangs, however, have been putting such vim into their efforts that they have been easily able to handle more than that quantity. On Monday they did exceptionally well, getting 383,000 feet into the ship before the knock-off signal came at the end of the afternoon. This included no overtime; only the usual working hours.

The loading of 383,000 feet in an ordinary working day is a performance that will vie with, if not excel, the work of any port on this Coast. It is a record for the local waterfront, and, according to marine opinion yesterday, very likely sets a new mark for the whole Coast as well as for Victoria. The speed and facility of loading have been helped considerably by the big derrick installed some time ago at the mill wharf. This picks up the lumber and places it within easy reach of the slings at any spot along the wharf. Mr. Tinling, supercargo for A. M. Gillespie, Inc., of Seattle, Pacific Coast agents for the owners of the Hans Hemsoth, who is in the city looking after the ship, is highly gratified with the expeditious manner in which the vessel is filling. She will likely be fully loaded with the Victoria proportion of her cargo by Saturday morning, and will leave Saturday night for Vancouver.

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MUSTEROLE

REPARATION PROBLEM PUT IN MELTING POT

Note on German Loan May Be Lost Sight of in Rearrangement—Sixty Per Cent Subscribed

PARIS, March 28.—While various interpretations may be put upon the note the Reparations Commission is sending to Germany in connection with her foreign currency loan issue, the correct one, according to some of the best-informed circles, is that it holds in substance that there is no question of the German Government's right to offer the loan, but that there does exist a question as to the security it may have.

Most of the note, prepared by Sir John Bradbury, of England, and M. Delacroix, of Belgium, calls attention to Article 248 of the Versailles treaty, defining priority rights in reparations, and continues:

"The commission makes express reserve, as against subscribers to the loan, of its right of priority against any funds which may be assigned by the German Government to the payment of interest or the repayment of capital to the loan in question, more particularly if the receipt itself is not applied to the discharge of reparation annuities."

Considerable Discussion

It is apparent that there was considerable discussion before the text of the note was drafted, and the discussion made it necessary to obtain the interpretation placed on Article 248 by the legal section of the commission. The French contended this article applied virtually to any assets of Germany unless her reparation obligations were first satisfied.

It is affirmed that the original intention of the French was to prevent launching of the loan with a guarantee by the Reichsbank, but now that the loan is said to be but sixty per cent subscribed, the original position has been temporarily modified.

As to the effect the note will have, it is contended that the whole reparations problem has been put in the melting pot by the presence of France and Belgium in the Ruhr, and that when the eventual settlement comes up such sweeping changes may be made that the present note may be lost sight of in the general rearrangement.

In any case, the British position of "benevolent neutrality" towards the Franco-Belgian occupation of the Ruhr was in no manner altered, it is declared, by the discussion engaged in before the sending of the present note.

FATAL BULLET FIRED IN DUBLIN THEATRE

Army Officer, Who Escaped From Jail While Under Death Sentence, Has Been Held

DUBLIN, March 28.—Lieut. Frank Teeling, a National army officer, whose escape from jail while under death sentence for alleged complicity in Dublin's "Red Sunday" massacre in November, 1920, was one of the greatest sensations of the Black and Tan regime in Ireland, was a central figure in a scene at the Theatre Royal last night.

During the performance a shot was heard and a member of the civic force fell, wounded in the heart. He died soon after. Lieut. Teeling was arrested in connection with the mysterious occurrence.

Vancouver Hears That Orders Are to Proceed With Work on Drydock

VANCOUVER, March 28.—According to word received here from Ottawa, the Government has issued instructions to the Wallace Drydock Company to proceed at once with the construction of a $2,500,000 floating drydock on the North Shore of Burrard Inlet. It is stated that the Government has become convinced that the business of the port of Vancouver urgently requires the provision of this additional equipment. The heavy increase in shipping, as well as the large movement of grain through the Western port, have influenced the Government in removing the embargo upon the project, it is said.

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Revival of Traffic in Human Beings Is Giving French and British Governments Concern

LONDON, March 28.—Revival of the slave traffic in Africa, on which subject the League of Nations promised to act next September, is causing the French and British Governments serious concern.

Thousands of human beings are being marketed in Abyssinia, it is declared, and the French Government has discovered that monthly shipments of slaves are passing through the port of Ladjourah, in French Somaliland, from which traffic the local Sultanate derives a fee of one dollar a head on all slaves shipped to Arabia. British naval units are endeavoring to deal with the situation in the Red Sea and Persian Gulf, and are meeting with some measure of success.

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There has just arrived in the Blouse Department a shipment of English Blouses, in the following styles and colors.

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Women's Vests with short and no sleeves, opera top, bias tape and fancy beadings; excellent wearing, plain and rib cotton with fancy yokes; sizes 36 to 44. At, a garment.....**50¢**

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